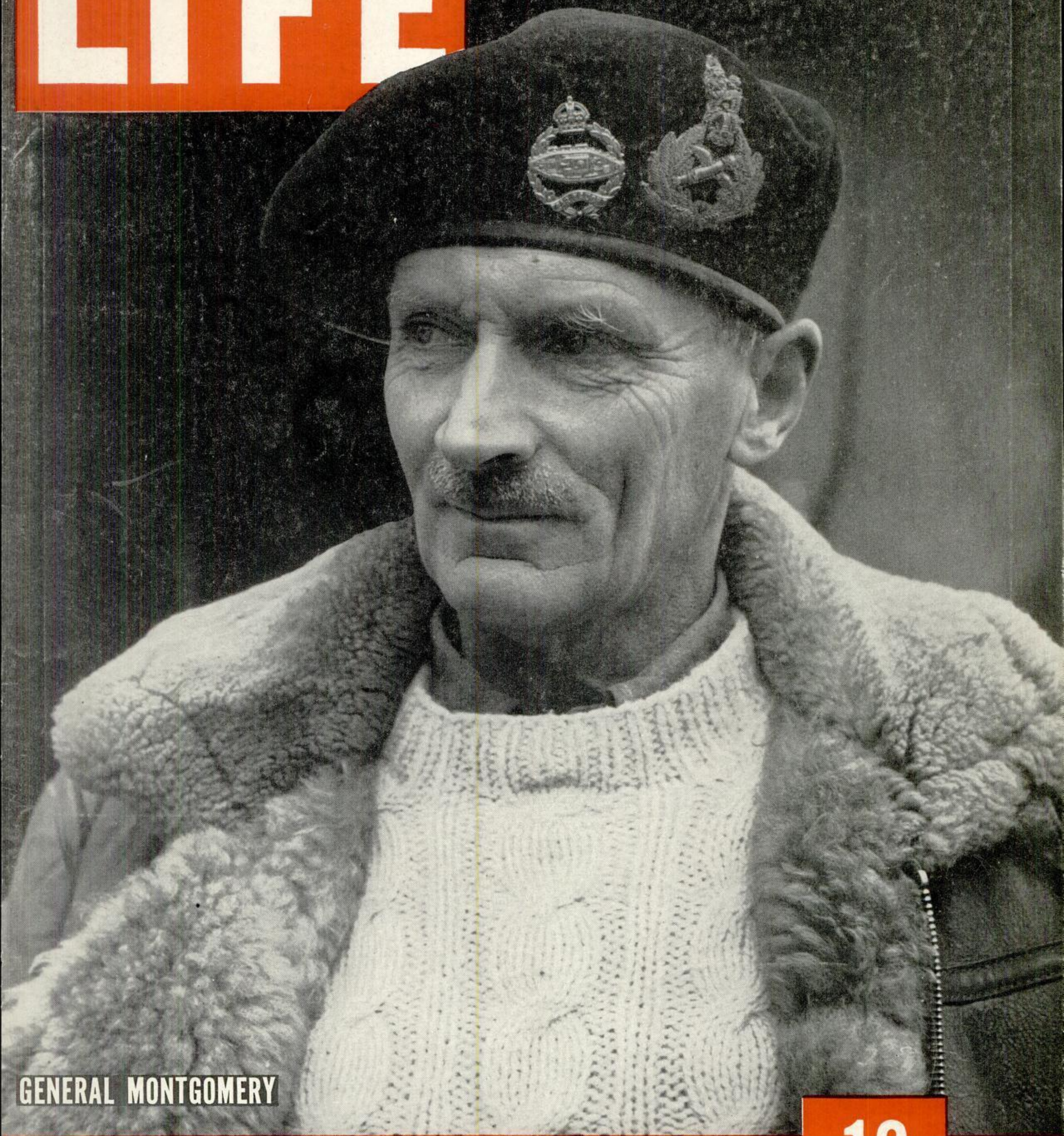
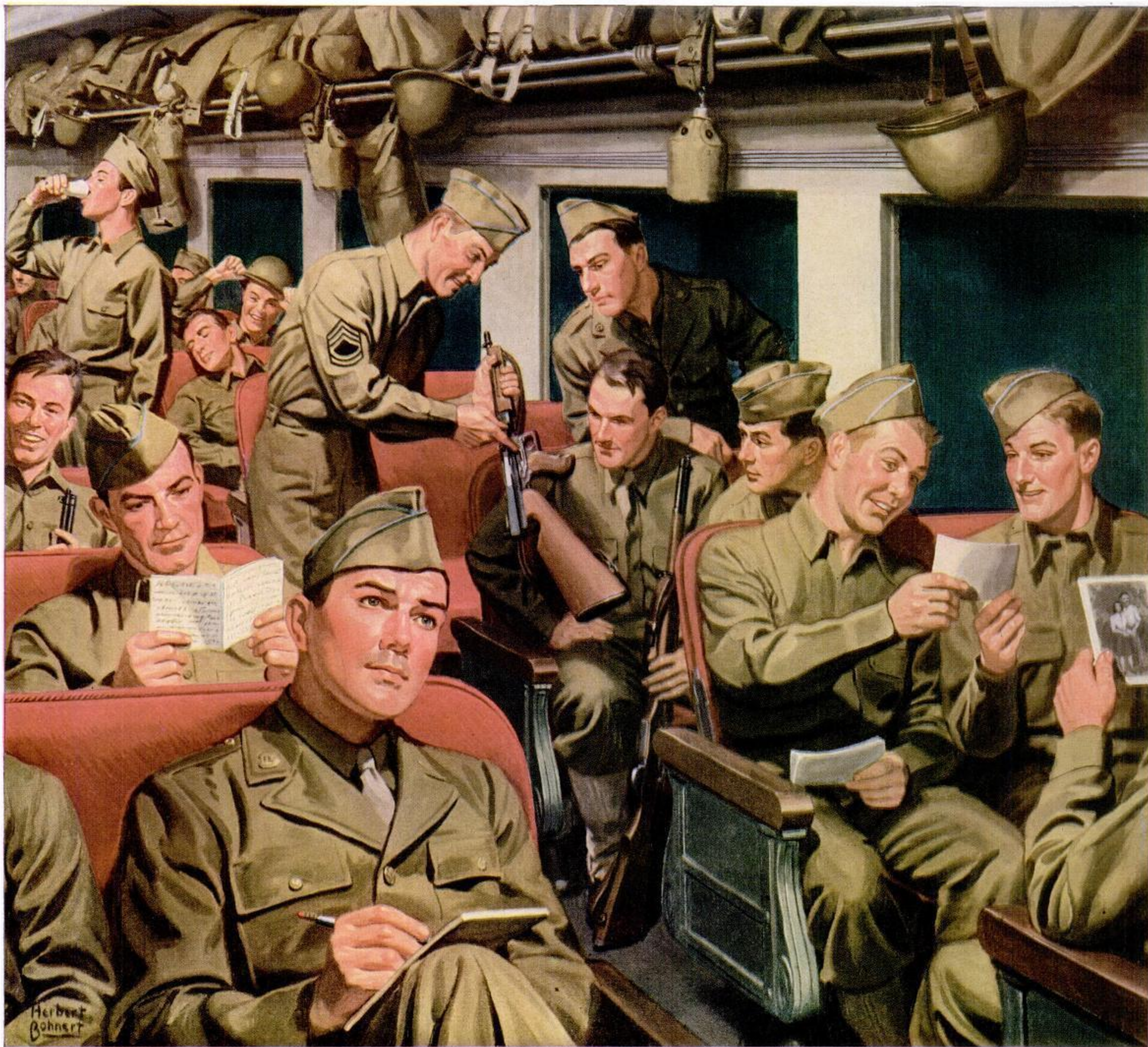


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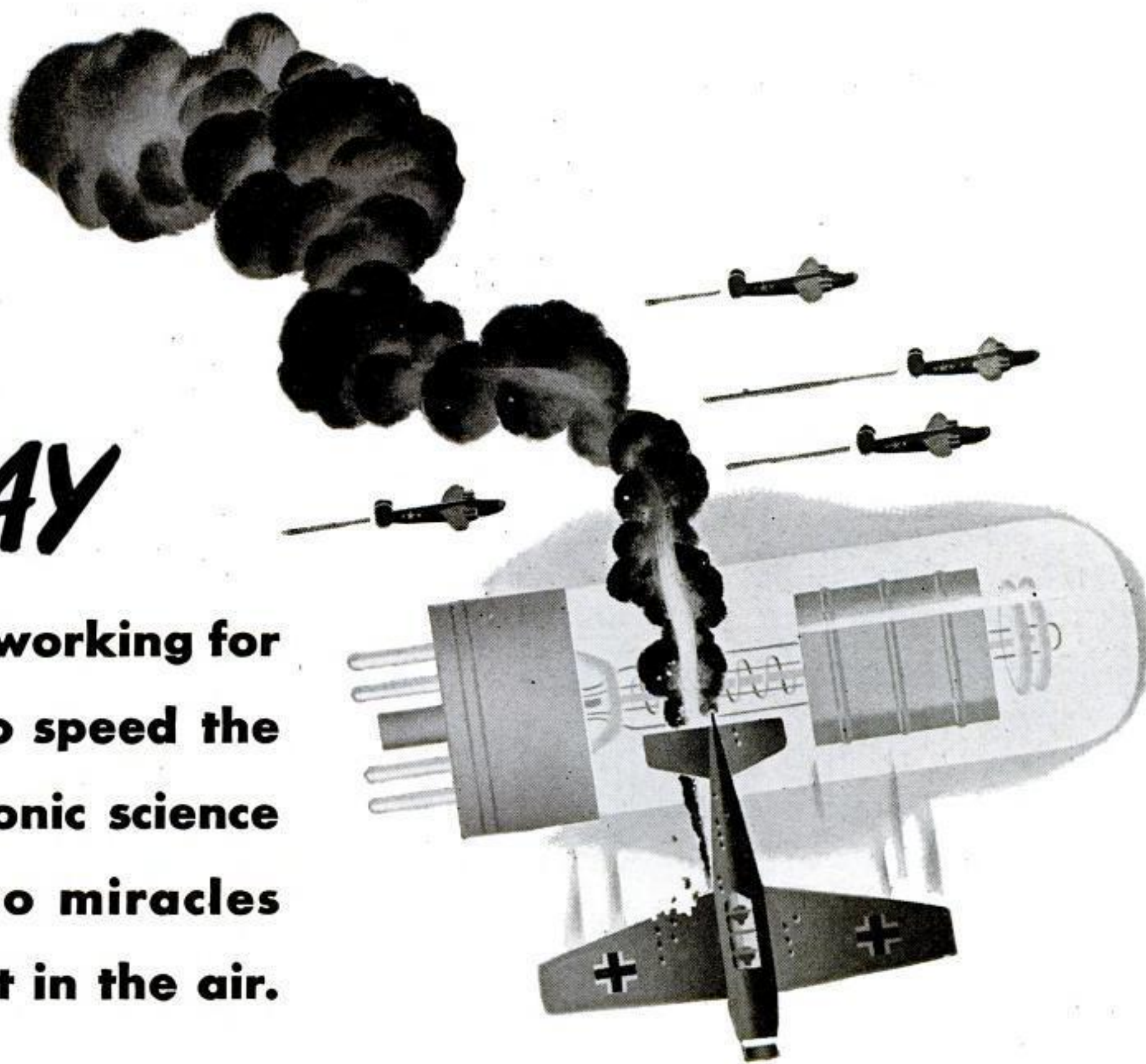


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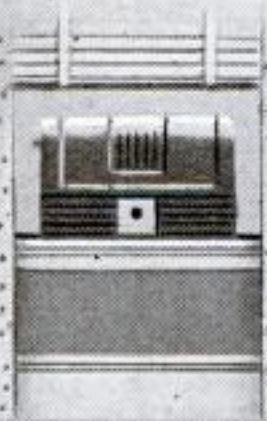
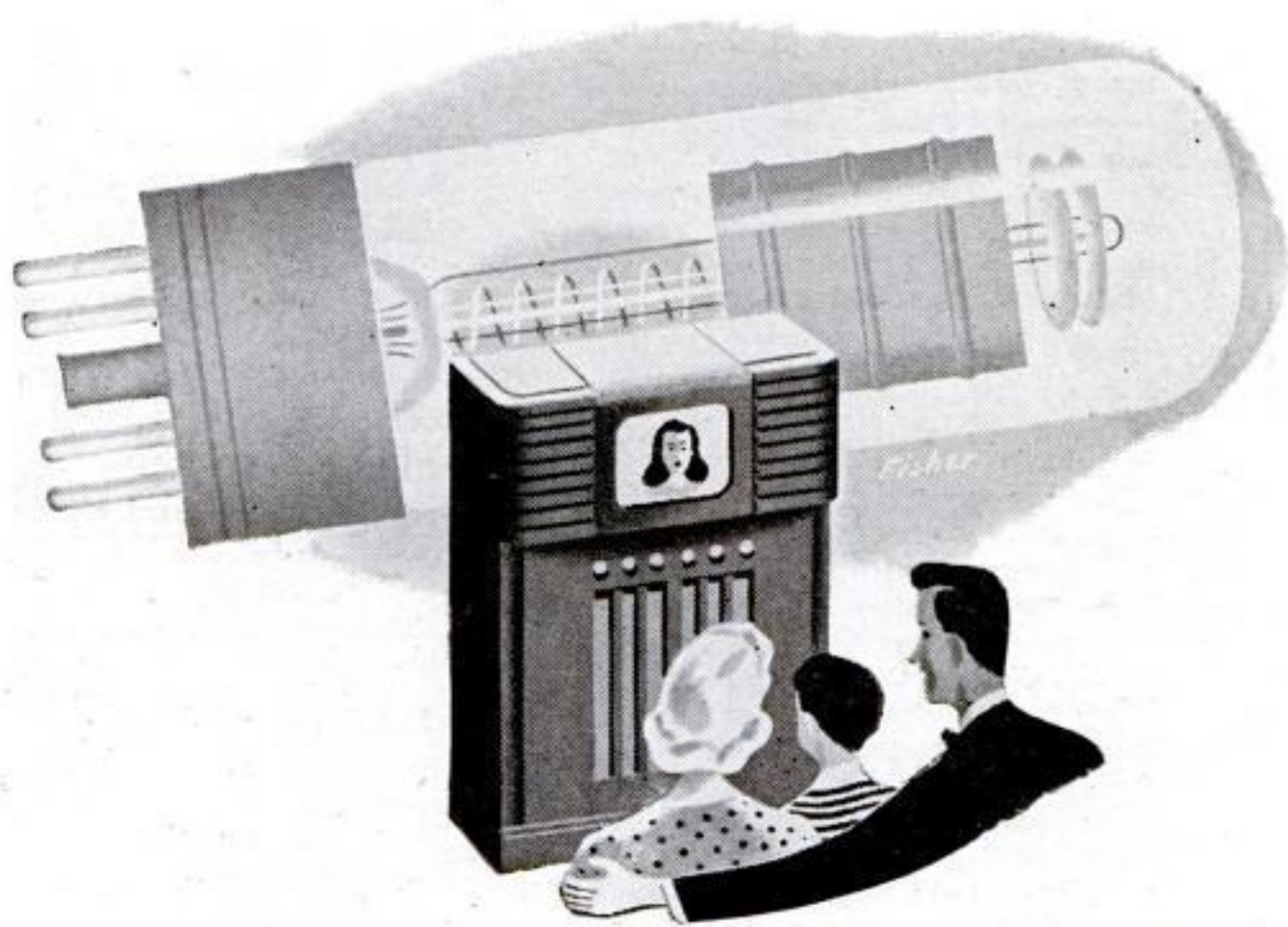
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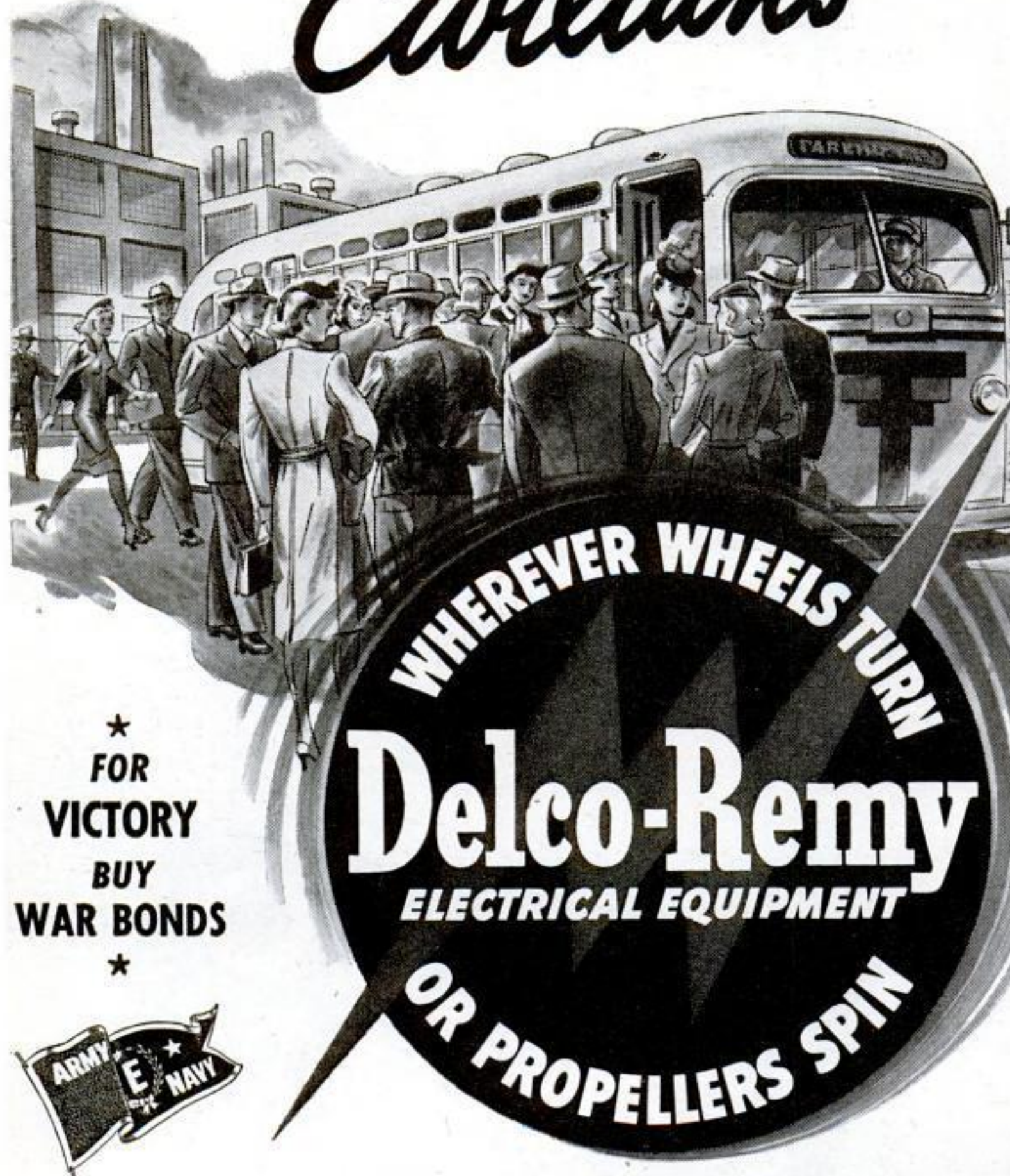
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LETTERS TO THE EDITORS

NEGRO RIGHTS

Sirs:

Your editorial "Negro Rights" (LIFE, April 24) is timely, courageous and sane.

REV. C. J. HALL

Goldendale, Wash.

Sirs:

The majority of our Negro population wants no rights in addition to those they already have.

E. ALWIN PARKER

Rosepine, La.

Sirs:

Just like most of the northern people, you do not understand the situation and you do not understand the Negro.

We have good schools, as well as colleges, here in Mississippi, for Negroes. There are very few of them who object to Jim Crow regulations. They had rather meet to themselves and so had the white people. They are our friends and we are theirs and that is enough said.

B. C. COX

Gulfport, Miss.

Sirs:

You state that we are afraid of the Negro. A true Southerner is not afraid of anything.

What we are afraid of is that three-fourths of the nation will gang up on the South as you did before in Reconstruction days and try to force us to do things which no true Southerner will stand.

C. J. TURNER

Miami, Fla.

Sirs:

Your editorial misses the real reason for the South's fear of the Negro. No average, normal Southerner ever dreamed that intermarriage could become a reality.

The crux of the matter is the number of Negroes in the South. Many towns have more Negroes than whites . . . many states are almost 50-50. This could easily mean political control by Negroes in a large part of the South.

Have you forgotten the carpetbaggers? The Negro politicians who robbed and despoiled the South . . . only 70 years ago? The South hasn't.

S. E. HUNSAKER

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sirs:

Let me say for the record that the least, and I should say nonexistent, desire of Negroes is to marry white women.

All we Negroes want are the rights and privileges given other minority groups: the right to fight and shed our blood for America (we are doing that), the right to employment on equality with other social groups and the right to all rights of citizenship, whether in Maine or Mississippi, under the Constitution of the United States.

EFFRON F. PAYNE

Waukegan, Ill.

Sirs:

You neither know nor understand the southern Negro. We nurse them when they are sick, look after them when they are too old to work and care for them as no Yankee ever would.

MRS. H. M. CRASSWELL JR.

Houston, Texas

Sirs:

We know the Negro will never be given complete equality of opportunity until he obtains the right to keep from public office men who entertain ideas of white supremacy. It is difficult for a soldier to understand how people who claim to be good Americans and are working daily toward the defeat of the "Aryans" of Germany and "Sons of Heaven" of Japan can practice the very thing the United Nations are fighting to defeat. In order to obtain freedom of opportunity for our sons and daughters,

if not for ourselves, we are willing to fight and if necessary die.

SGT. CHARLES B. FIELDS

SGT. SAMUEL H. SEVILLE

CPL. FREDDIE R. WILLIAMS

West Palm Beach, Fla.

Sirs:

As an "educated" Southerner I say that the problem is based not on fear, but on the belief that the Negro is a "lower species of man." He is treated accordingly in the South.

L. P. THOMAS

Savannah, Ga.

Sirs:

Listen, Mister, God put feathers of all colors on all the birds of the air but he doesn't make them roost together, and until he does you are not going to see this bird roosting or eating or mingling with anything that resembles a Negro.

FLOYD O. ELKINS

Sealy, Texas

Sirs:

If you agitators would only stay out.

DR. A. D. PLOWDEN

Sumter, S. C.

FIRST NEGRO ENSIGNS

Sirs:

I was shocked to see your picture of a group of Negro naval officers (LIFE, April 24).

Every real American will bitterly resent the breaking down of our great naval traditions.

There is no place for the black man in our white Navy, and there is moral and political dynamite in trying to mix the white with the black.

It is hard to realize that there could be any one person in this country powerful enough to force this thing down our throats, but the day of reckoning isn't so far off.

J. L. JONES

Great Neck, N. Y.

Sirs:

Your picture of the 12 commissioned Negro naval officers was an inspiration to many who hope that America can and will become an absolute democracy; I know that I would be proud to salute any of them.

RONALD SPIERS, USNR

Naval Training Unit, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H.

PITTSBURGH TRAFFIC LESSONS

Sirs:

That macabre panorama of carelessly and wantonly smashed-up cars in your April 24 issue may prove a powerful deterrent to reckless driving, but Peru, our good neighbor, is employing a more forceful warning to would-be suicides.

On the primitive, curve-studded coastal road leading north from Talara,



MEMENTO MORI

the extreme western point of South America, every crashed automobile is preserved as a monument and perched upon a mount, visible for some distance, as a *memento mori* for every driver who subordinates his judgment to his zeal for speed.

HANS HINRICHS

New York, N. Y.

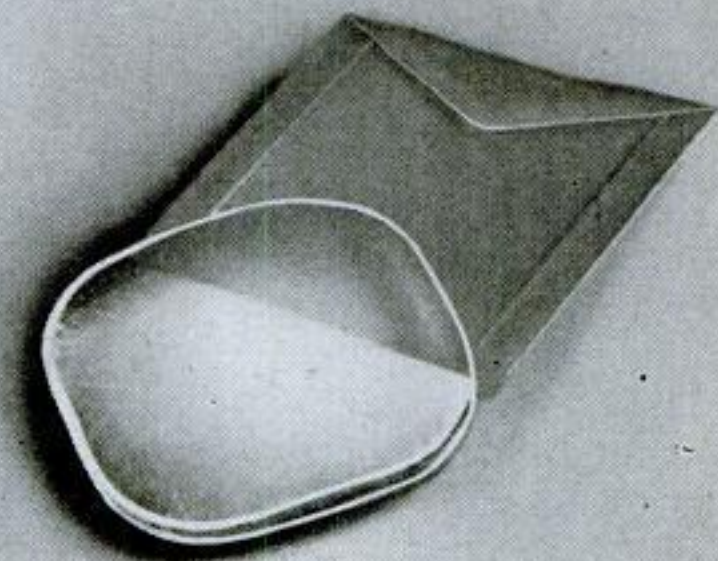
GOVERNOR WARREN & FAMILY

Sirs:

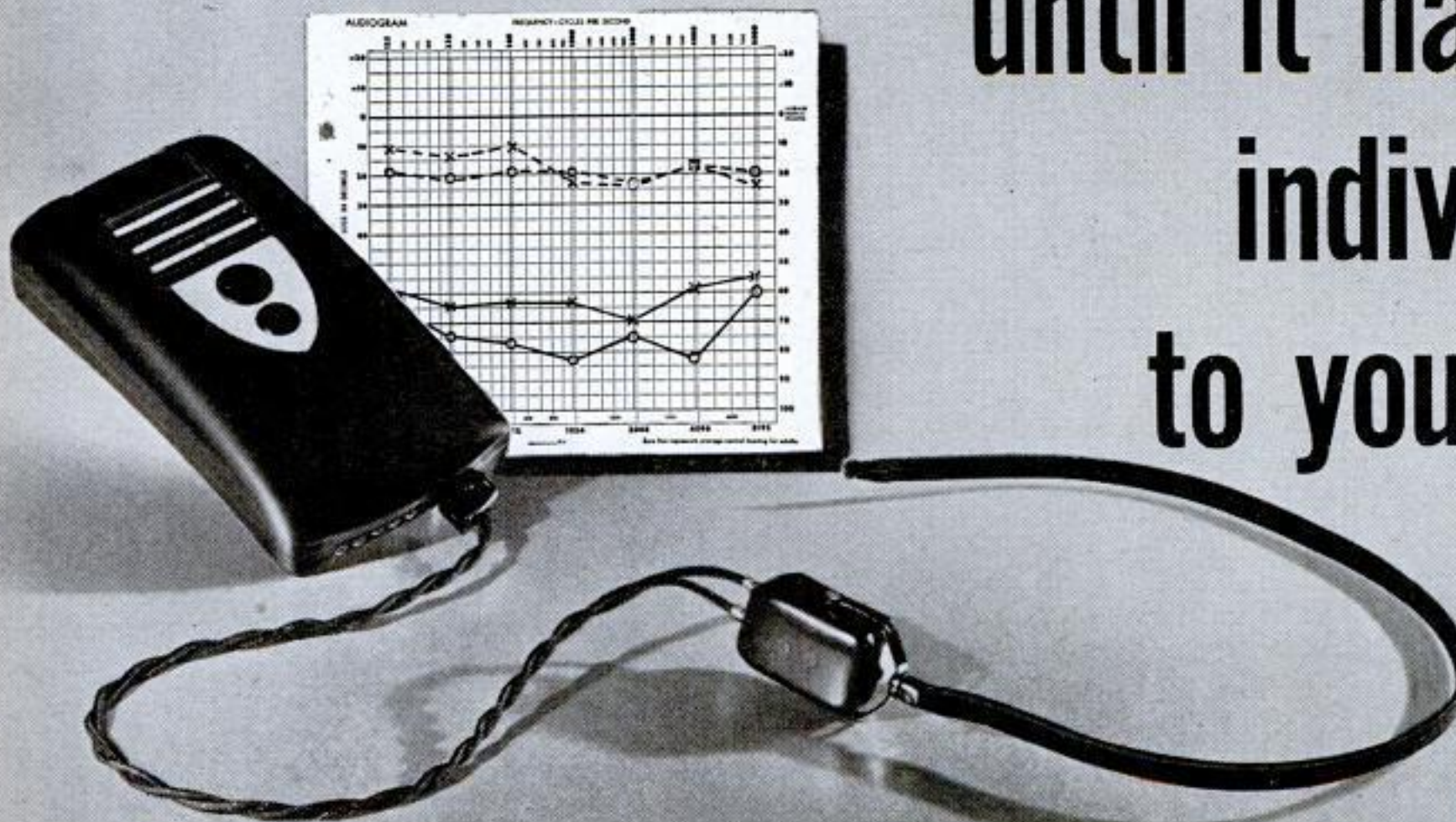
I think you got somewhat confused about the ages of Governor Warren's children (LIFE, April 24). You state



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that James is 20 and Virginia is 15. Isn't Jimmy more than five years older than Virginia?

SALLY GRISWOLD

Cleveland, Ohio

● LIFE did get confused by the Governor's children, herewith straightens out the record: Daughter Virginia was born in 1928, three years after the marriage of Earl Warren to Mrs. Nina Palmquist Meyers. They had met four years before their marriage. James Warren is 24, is Mrs. Warren's son by her first marriage. He has been legally adopted by the Governor and bears the Warren name.—ED.

SPRING, 1944

Sirs:

Among your "Spring, 1944" pictures (LIFE, April 24) is one of an old Model-T Ford as it "plows staunchly through a watery Indiana road."

The driver is taking unnecessary chances—he is likely to get his car stalled in midstream.

My friends in the Ozark hill country of Missouri can teach this Hoosier a trick worth knowing. Note in this photograph the raincoat thrown across the



SPRING IN MISSOURI

front of the flivver's radiator. Even on the brightest days this Iron County, Mo. man takes his rain coat for stream fording. Once it's in place, he takes the plunge and the raincoat keeps water from getting into his carburetor while he is plowing to the other bank.

CHARLES PHELPS CUSHING

New York, N. Y.

LETTER FROM LONDON ZOO

Sirs:

I should like to express the heartiest thanks of the Zoological Society of London for your generous contribution toward their Rebuilding Fund. Your donation has been earmarked to go toward the cost of rebuilding the Camel House, one of the oldest buildings in the zoo, built in 1829. At first it was used for the housing of llamas, vicuñas and alpacas. The main framework of the building, including the clock tower, has not been very seriously affected by the bombing, but most of the tiles have been blown off the roof. It is intended to reconstruct the house as nearly as possible in its original form.

The rebuilding of the Camel House is, of course, but a very small item in the total program of reconstruction which we shall have to undertake after the war. For it we shall be largely dependent on the generosity of private benefactors and, therefore, your kind contribution is more than welcome. May I add that it is doubly welcome as a sign of the friendly interest taken in our Society by so influential a magazine of the country of our ally.

EDWARD HINDLE,
Director

The London Zoo, England

● LIFE's payment for Dr. Hindle's Report was earmarked at his request for the rebuilding of the London Zoo's Camel House.—ED.

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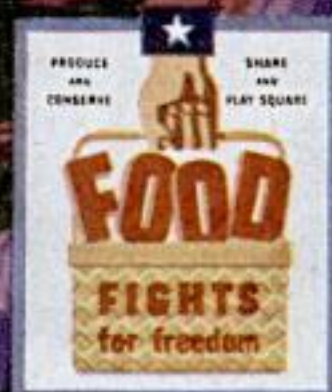
These days we never know when a shipment is coming . . . for our pineapple is carried in ships that took war

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AMERICAN COMPOSERS

Sirs:

Serge Koussevitzky's article on American composers was a sorely needed one and I agree with him wholeheartedly on the matter of a government subsidy for composers. However, inasmuch as that is a delightful dream for a distant future, I propose a much more immediate solution.

This isn't the first time a well-known conductor like Koussevitzky has taken up the cudgels on behalf of contemporary composers and their tribulations. Like the well-known comment on the weather—everybody talks about it, but no one does anything about it. Why do conductors wait for public funds to subsidize the composers? Why don't they do it themselves?

Mr. Koussevitzky contended that because David Diamond now has a job playing in the All Time Hit Parade Orchestra, "this is an outrage." Why is it an outrage? He is earning as much in one hour's work now as he did in a month of soda jerking. He has ample spare time, and his mind is free enough of financial burden so that he can compose music. Granted it would be ideal if he could devote his entire day to composition; but would you deny a man all food because you didn't have steak to offer him?

I contend that the conductors of America owe a great debt to our contemporary composers. Without them there would be no new music to be introduced and conducted. Since it is they who directly benefit from the efforts of these composers, let them assume some of the practical obligations. Perhaps if they will lead the way, the government subsidy will follow.

MARK WARNOV
New York, N. Y.

VARGA GIRL

Sirs:

Your Varga girl layout for *Mexican Hayride* reminded me of a recent weekend in New York, in which I spent an afternoon taking pictures of the Great



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White Way. One of them is this tremendous poster of the scantily clad honey advertising *Up in Mabel's Room*.

CPL. JERRY KOBRIN
Editor, *G.I.*

Army Reception Center
New Cumberland, Pa.

Time, *LIFE*, *Fortune* and the *Architectural Forum* have been cooperating with the War Production Board ever since Jan., 1943, on the conservation of paper. During the year 1944 these four publications of the Time group are budgeted to use 73,000,000 pounds (1450 freight carloads) less paper than in 1942. In view of resulting shortages of copies, please share your copy of *LIFE* with your friends.

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DEVI DJA'S GESTURE FROM DANCE OF THE BLUE LOTUS

SPEAKING OF PICTURES . . .

. . . THESE PALE HANDS ACCENT INDONESIAN LOVE DANCES

The formal dances of Java and Bali are full of a strange poetry of movement, usually expressed with tortured gestures of the hands. Pictured here are the hands of Devi Dja, a Javanese dancer who performs with her troupe in the Sarong Room of Chicago's Bali Java Restaurant. With her hands

she accents such tales as *Bedoyo*, love story about a young girl who falls in love with the statue of a god, brings him to life, woos him, then loses him. It is, like most all of Devi Dja's repertoire, an authentic part of Javanese court and temple culture.

Prior to the war, Devi Dja ("Devi" signifies a

dancer of the temple) toured Asia and Europe with a large troupe. Since April 16, 1943 she and 10 members of the original troupe have run the Bali Java. Shortly before its first anniversary, Devi Dja departed for Hollywood to do her *Temptation of Buddha* dance in M-G-M's *The Picture of Dorian Gray*.



SWOOPING GESTURE BEGINS DANCE

BELL AND HOLY WATER

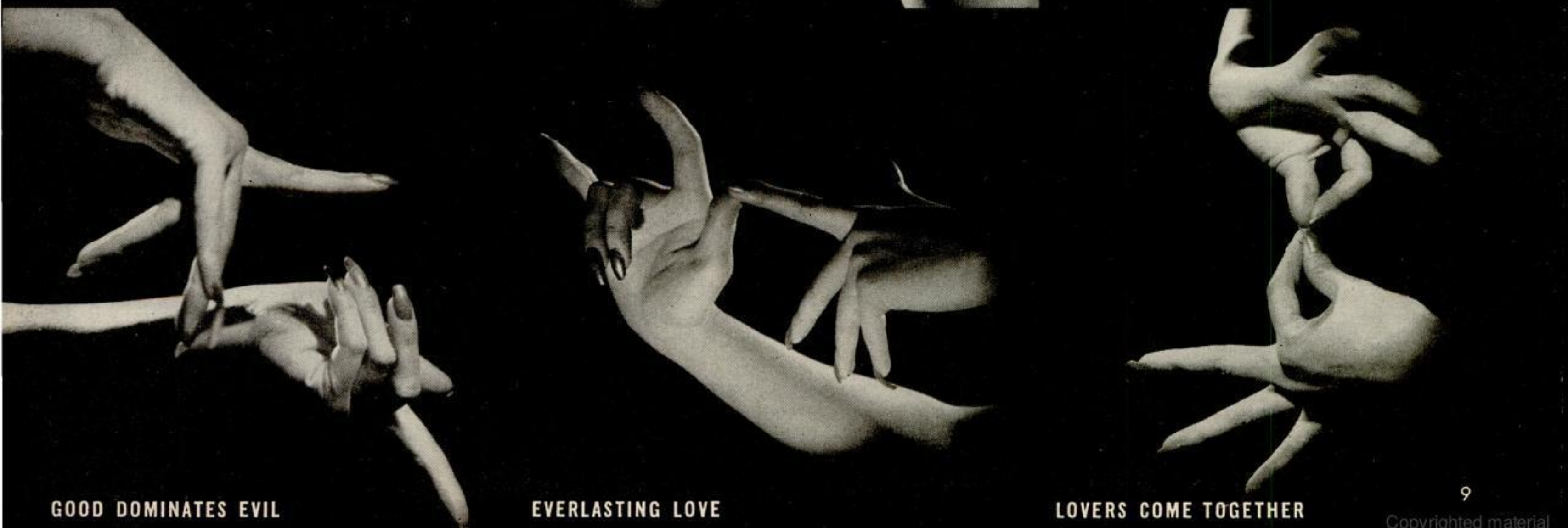
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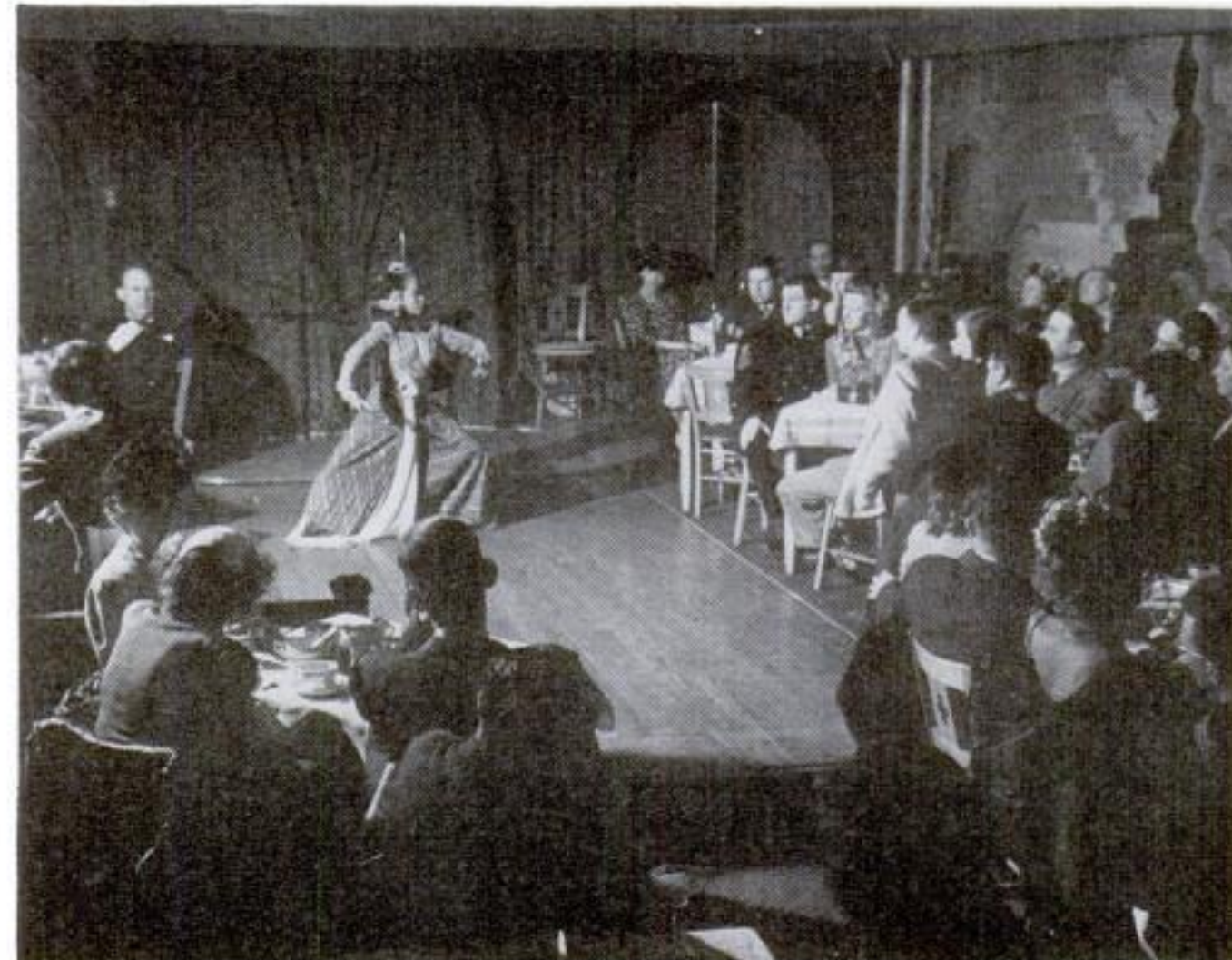
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Awakening of Buddha from meditation is expressed by peeking through her fingers. Since Buddha is not a Javanese deity, this dance is not indigenous to her culture.



In "Tragedy of Garuda," Devi Dja dances barelegged to denote "Garuda," eagle in Java's folklore. Here her dance symbolizes Garuda preening feathers before flight.

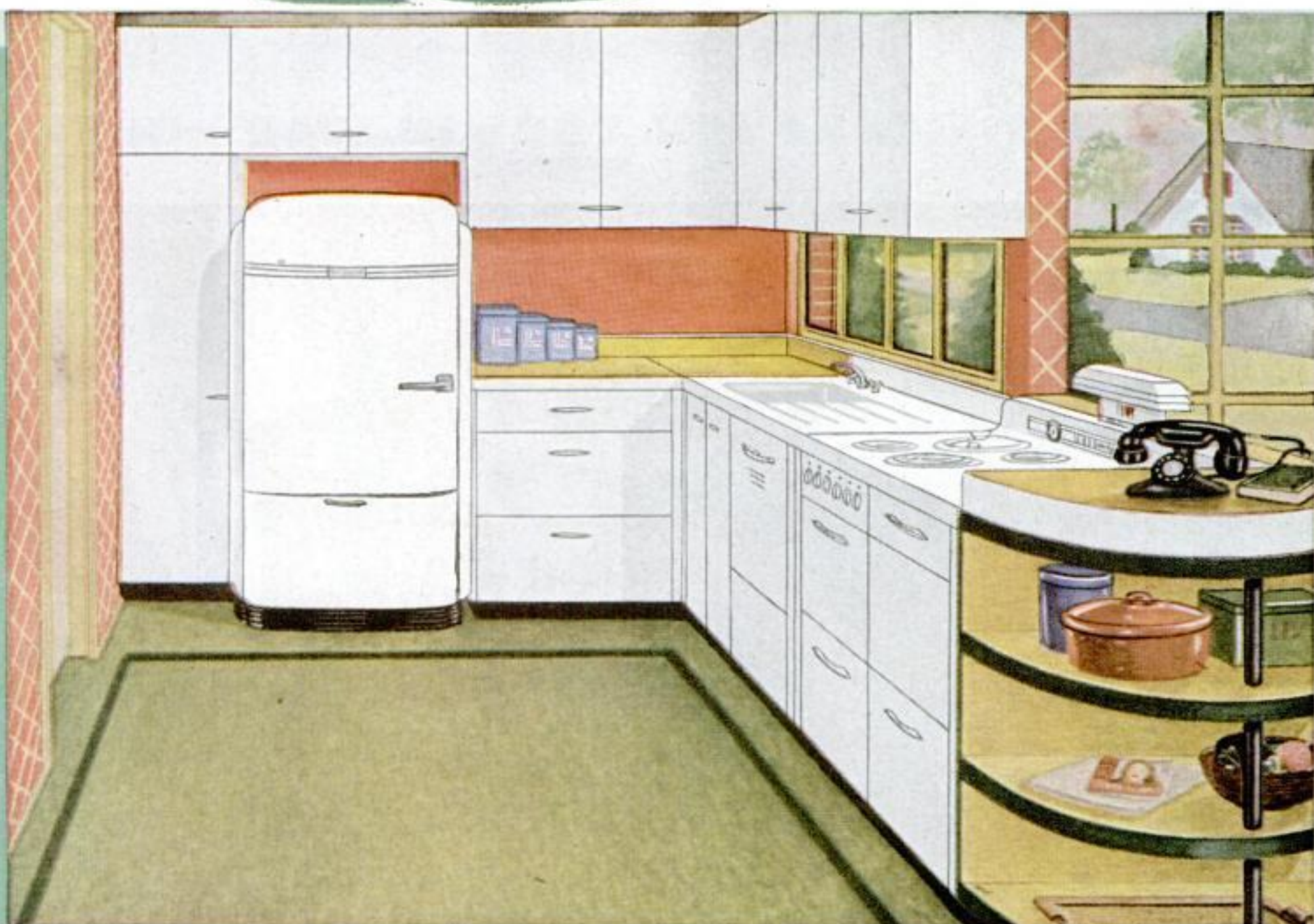


Patrons of the Sarong Room give Devi Dja their rapt attention when she dances the dramatic Bedoyo. For the dance, she wears a bodice of jewels and a genuine sarong.

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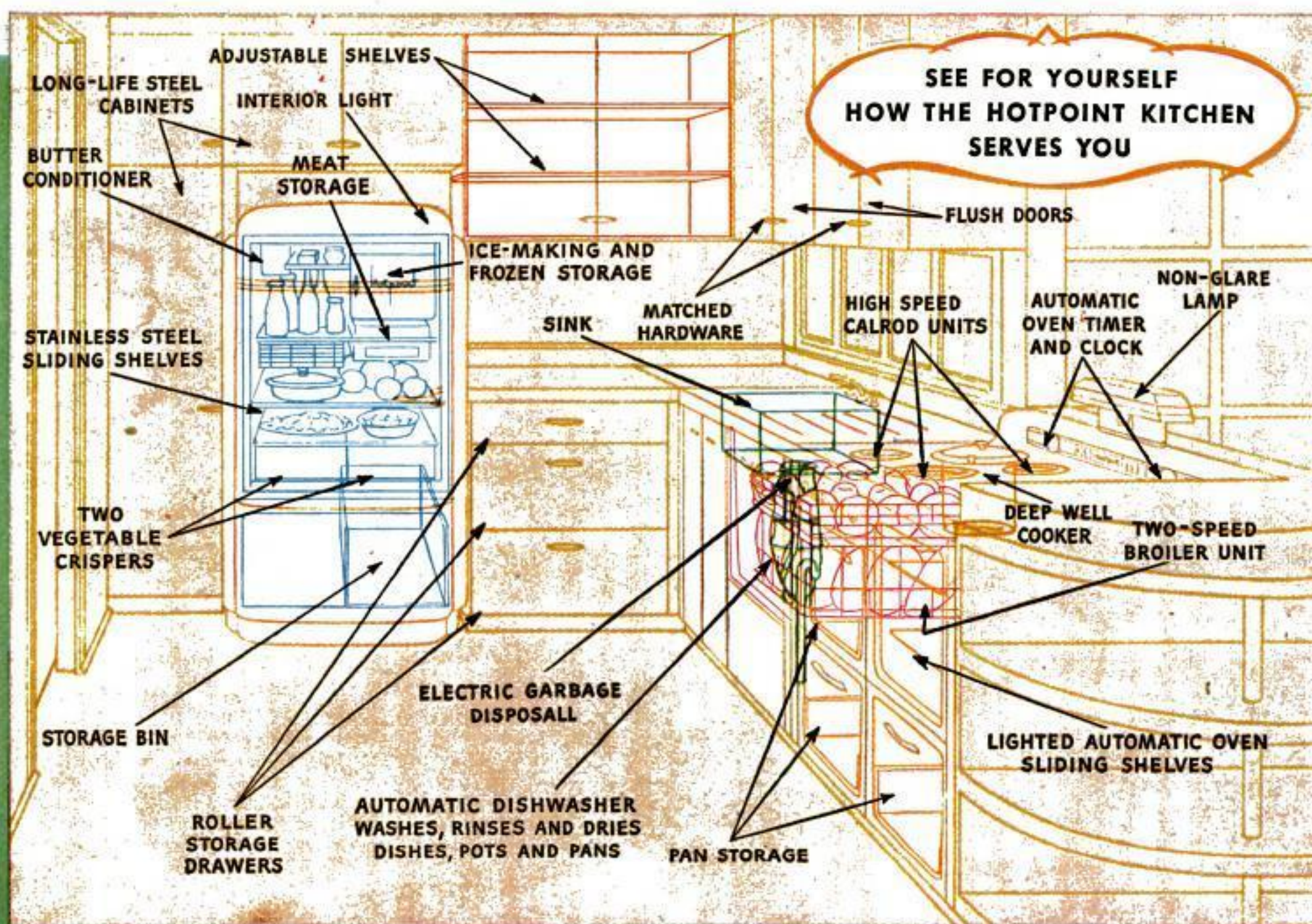
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CHICAGO KILLINGS RECALL "BLOODY TWENTIES"

by GENE COOK AND ROBERT HAGY

For a decade after the federal government caught up with "Scarface" Al Capone, the white fedora boys steered pretty clear of the headlines. But now they're back. The heaters are out of cold storage and producing corpses at the rate of one a week.

Neither Mayor Ed Kelly nor his jittery police department seems to know exactly what's up, but it looks as if most of the shooting is over control of Capone's legacy, The Syndicate. In any case, hoodlum activity has stepped up to a degree reminiscent of the flamboyant days of Chicago's "bloody twenties." "The only thing that hasn't happened," says the *Sun's* longtime police reporter, Joe Fay, "is another St. Valentine's Day Massacre, and maybe that's coming up."

The Chicago Crime Commission's ledger, under the heading, "Date—victim—by whom killed," reads: May 5, 1943—Danny Stanton—unknown. May 5, 1943—Louis Dorman—unknown. May 5, 1943—Walter James Smith—unknown. June 7, 1943—Aldo Razzini—unknown. Oct. 27, 1943—John Pisano—unknown. Dec. 6, 1943—Thomas Neglia—unknown. Dec. 11, 1943—William Wytrykus—unknown. Dec. 17, 1943—Sidney Rossman, alias Edward Ross, English—unknown. Jan. 14, 1944—Ben Zuckerman—unknown. March 2, 1944—Sam Gervase—unknown. March 11, 1944—James De Angelo—unknown.

Some of these killings were in the Chicago tradition. Danny Stanton and Dorman were blasted by shotguns as they sat in a South Side saloon. Neglia was slain as he was being shaved in a barber's chair. De Angelo's body was found stuffed in the luggage compartment of his own automobile. Another gangland figure, Onofrio Vitale, has been missing since Feb. 25, and isn't expected to be seen again unless his body bobs up in the drainage canal, a favorite dumping ground for gangster remains.

On March 18, a watchman at a Lake Michigan generating plant near the Indiana line saw a body floating in the water. Police fished it out and found that the man had been beaten, tortured (his nails had been pried away from his fingers), shot in the head. The body was grotesquely clothed. It wore three shirts, oversize shoes, a suit of winter underwear, two pairs of underpants. The body is still unidentified.

Jack Guzik is snatched

On April 7, John Livert ("St. Louis") Kelly, a Negro vice overlord who was connected with all the rackets, was slain in a political argument. In South Side night clubs M.C.'s stopped floor shows to announce Kelly's slaying and the crowds cheered and applauded.

These were the events preceding the kidnapping of Jack Guzik, stubby, pudgy, little former business manager for Al Capone.

Jack Guzik, whose business acumen and tightness with money are as pronounced as the dark circles under his beady little eyes, wouldn't have broken into the headlines if it hadn't been for the presence in the automobile of his son-in-law, Frank Garnett. Many gang kidnappings never get into the newspapers. The gangster or gambler merely pays off with the minimum of fanfare. It's all handled quietly like a family affair. About three years ago a gang of kidnappers went on the rampage, kidnapping about 30 Chicago gambling bigwigs and cleaning up a fortune in ransoms. Some of the gamblers were snatched two and three times. Police try to learn about such snatchings, not because they want to save the gamblers money, but because they know that unless kidnappers are curbed their successes make them bolder and they widen their activities to kidnapping upstanding citizens. Garnett apparently knew nothing of the gangland code of silence. When Guzik was snatched from his car, Garnett called on a passing laundry-truck driver named Lee Thomas for help. He shouted to Thomas, "Follow that car" and without thinking, Thomas raced after the kidnappers' automobile until it whirled around a corner on two wheels. Then Thomas suddenly asked himself what he was doing chasing the car and turned back. Police say that Thomas probably came pretty close to getting himself "ventilated."

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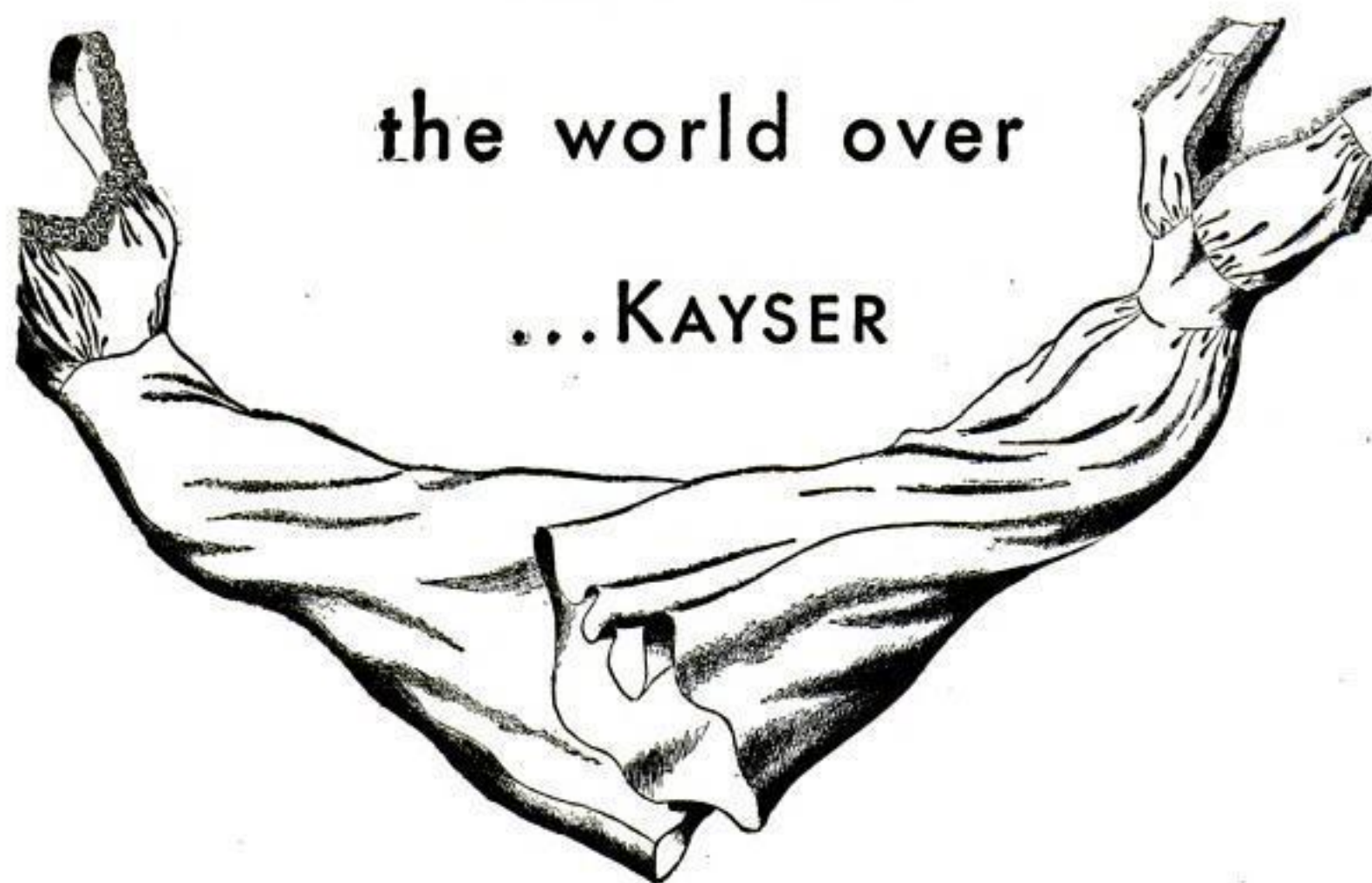


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As soon as Guzik's kidnapping was reported, police spread a dragnet, only to find that all the "hoods" as usual had vanished. Their haunts in Cicero, Melrose Park, and around Chicago's Loop were deserted.

According to police, West Side gangs are made up mostly of Italians who feel that they should be making more money themselves instead of having a predominantly Jewish triumvirate controlling them. The Jewish leaders are Guzik, his right-hand man, Hymie ("Loud Mouth") Levin and Eddie Vogel.

The Outfit takes over

Guzik, before his kidnapping, was already well on his way toward being a has-been, but he wasn't quite bright enough to realize it. The Syndicate, Capone's legacy to Chicago, was being taken over by its junior executives. This syndicate, generally called The Outfit, is a sort of federation or holding company operating in various illegitimate, semi-legitimate and legitimate fields of business. The fields include gambling, bookmaking, night clubs, towel-renting to Loop hotels, cleaning and dyeing, labor-leading, maintenance of cigaret and other vending machines, brewing, bottled water and, in season, operating slot machines.

The Outfit, according to Chicago police, is run by Tony Accardo, Murray Humphreys and "Red" Fawcett. Accardo, 39, 5 ft. 11 in., 187 lb. and a very cold character who has seldom had his picture in the papers, is believed to be the kingpin. In his youth Accardo was chauffeur and bodyguard to Scarface Al himself. In recent years Accardo has graduated from gun-toting and displayed considerable leadership. Murray Humphreys is known to hoods as "The Hump" or "Camel." James (Red) Fawcett has a baby face but an eager trigger finger.

Loyal to the gangland code, Guzik when he reappeared denied he had been kidnapped. Jumpy-looking, mussed up and unkempt and with a two days' growth of beard, Guzik walked late one night into a West Side drugstore. To the press Guzik said, "The whole thing was a lot of newspaper notoriety, a lot of fuss about nothing. On the way back from Willow Springs, I ran into a couple of fellows who wanted to talk to me. We went somewhere and talked a while. There was no ransom demand, no shots fired and no ransom paid."



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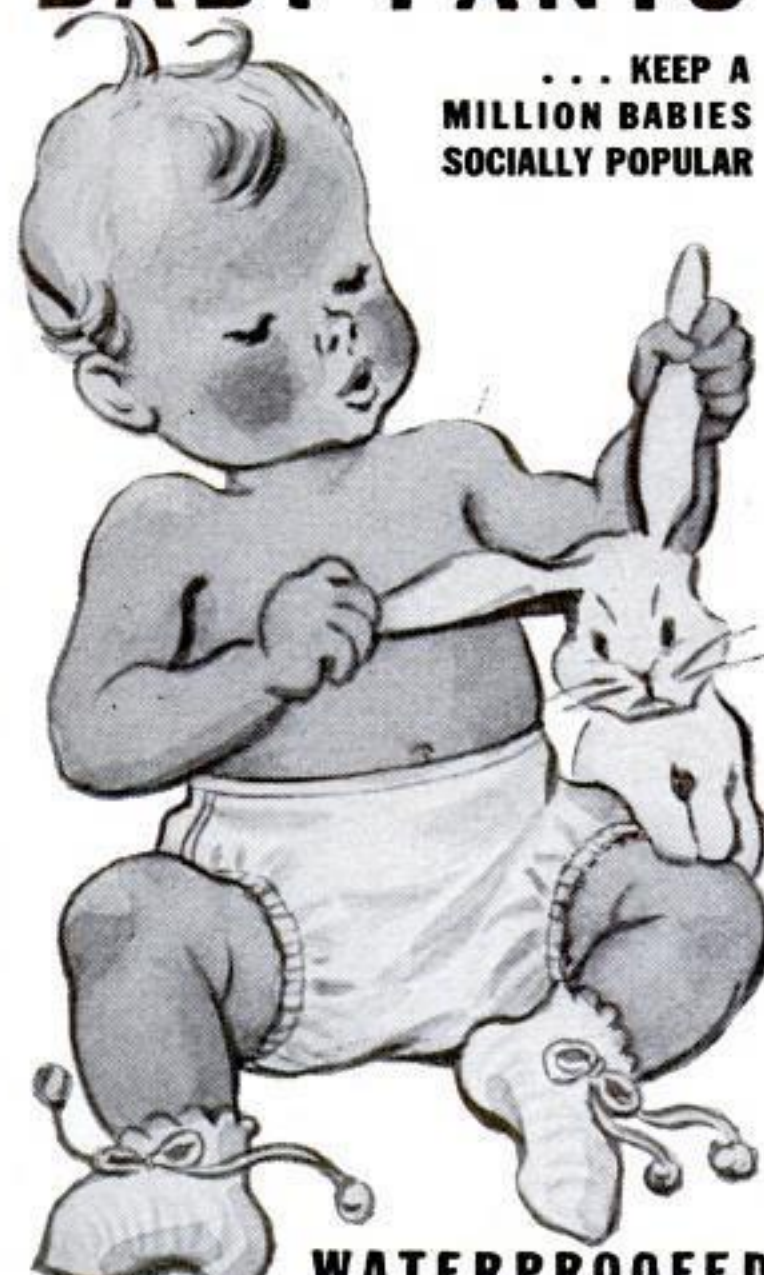
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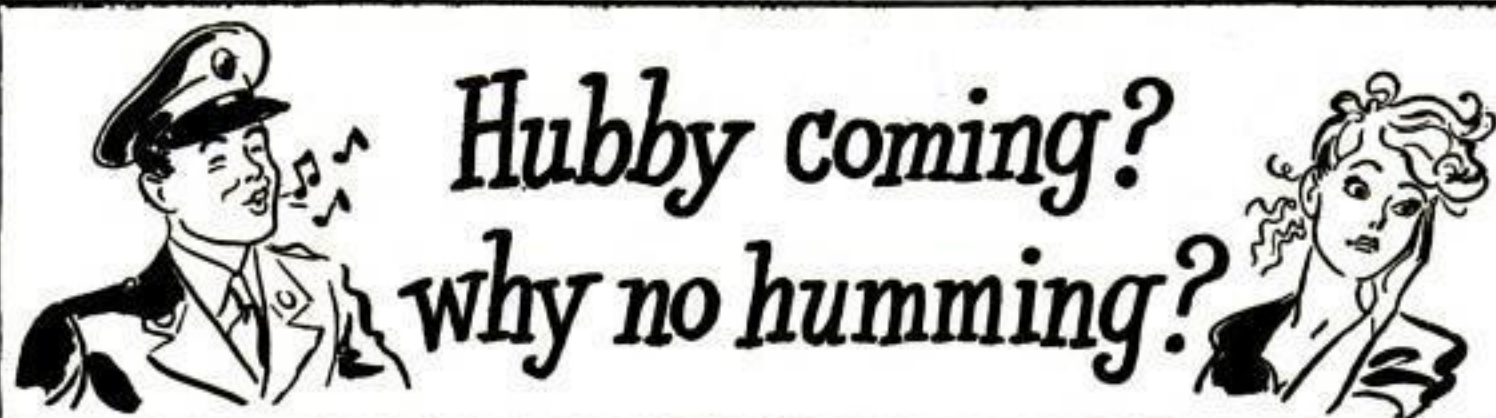
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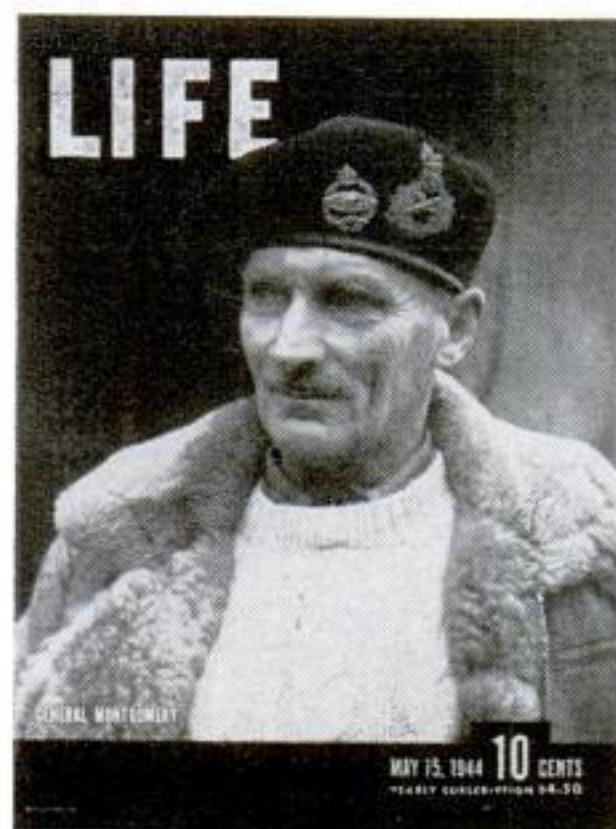
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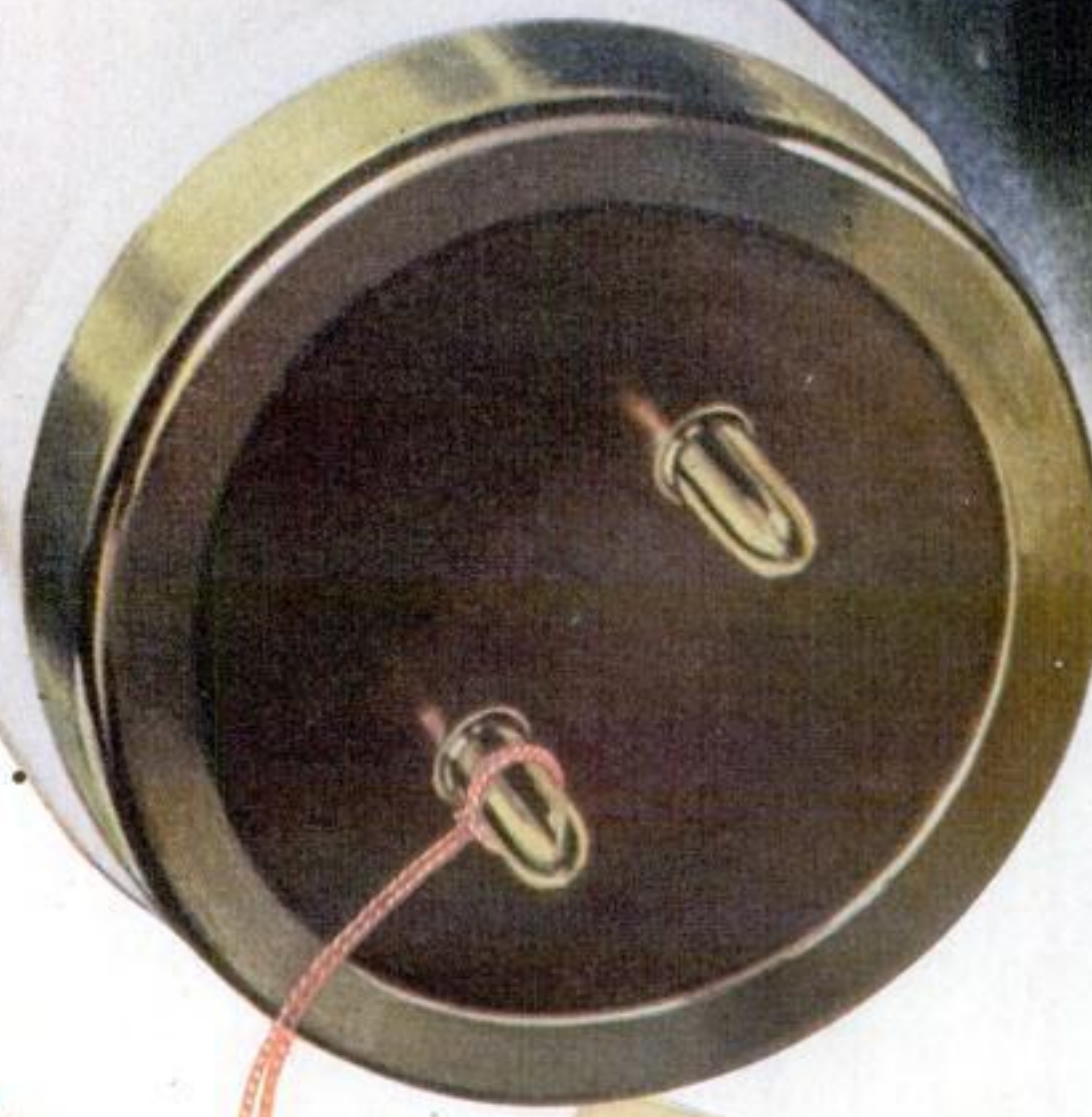
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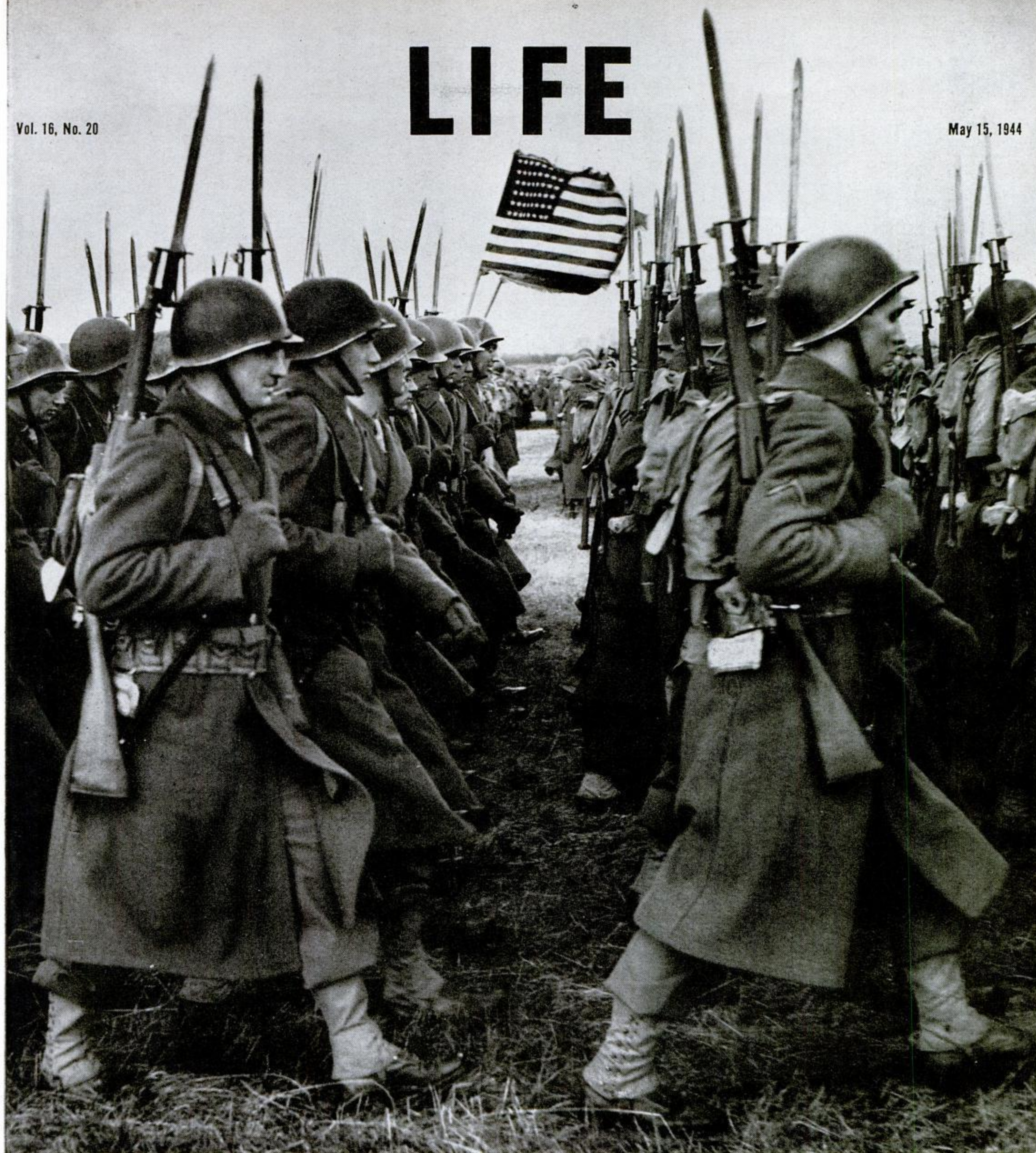


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D-Day (the D stands for Day) is Adolf Hitler's No. 1 concern today. The Germans have announced that D-Day will be preceded by a rolling Russian offensive and a concentrated air bombardment. The air bombardment has been on now for three weeks.

GEN. EISENHOWER INSPECTS ALLIED INVASION FORCES

The commander in chief of the invasion—British, American and Allied—is General Dwight David ("Ike") Eisenhower, whose unmistakably American face is shown on these pages. He has already received Russia's highest military award, the Order of Suvorov, First Class, and Britain's highest literary

award, membership in The Athenaeum Club. The Germans describe him thus: "The American General has an athletic appearance, full health and strength, a well-formed head and jaw showing great will, and is a man whom his countrymen would call a he-man." For four full months now he has worked with his



General Eisenhower sizes up the American men he has to deal with. One corporal sized up Eisenhower: "He looks sort of like the guys you know at home." Behind him here is the keen,

clenched face of Montgomery, the British field commander, who is now engaged in one of the most detailed inspections of the invasion troops ever attempted by a modern general.



The commander in chief (standing, with binoculars) watches maneuvers with steady hands. The setting is an M-4 Sherman tank. Prostrate is Eisenhower's deputy, Air Chief Marshal

Tedder, who has worked up the intimate coordination of the allied air forces with the allied ground forces. The air of sober optimism in allied headquarters is most marked in airmen.

subordinates: Montgomery (*see p. 53*), Bradley, Tedder, Leigh-Mallory, Ramsay, Spaatz, Franklyn, Van Strydonck de Burkel (Belgium), Phaff (The Netherlands), Hansteen (Norway), Ingr (Czechoslovakia) and Sosnkowski (Poland).

His German opposite number is Field Marshal

Rommel. German field commanders are Field Marshal von Rundstedt (France & Belgium), von Falkenhausen (Belgium), von Falkenhorst (Norway), Hanneken (Denmark), Christiansen (The Netherlands).

The German strength is probably centered on Brest, Morlaix, St. Malo, Cherbourg, Dieppe, Le

Havre, Boulogne, Calais, Ostend, Antwerp and Flushing, possibly a division at each, with a reserve of 15 divisions, all motorized, half armored. A substantial part of the world's steel is massed along the shores in innocent-looking houses, underground batteries, buried tanks, all waiting for Eisenhower's men.



The face of Eisenhower is mobile, frank and tough. He is exceedingly friendly and easy to get on with, but he can be brutal with the occasional officers who fumble or malingers. There

is no use in weighing a general's generalship before he has fought his big battle. General Eisenhower will be judged soon enough by events, as have been Pershing, Zhukov, Montgomery.

The Invaders (continued)



About 100 paratroopers are to be seen swinging in the sky over England in this picture, a little less than one company of the huge paratrooper force now assembled in the United

Kingdom. The occasion is review of U. S. airborne troops by Winston Churchill, General Eisenhower, General Bradley on March 23, seen also on the opposite page. The 'chutes

are green, blue, crimson, white and yellow, designating different functions and services. The planes are Douglas C-53s. Some parachutes carry weapons, radios, bicycles, rations.

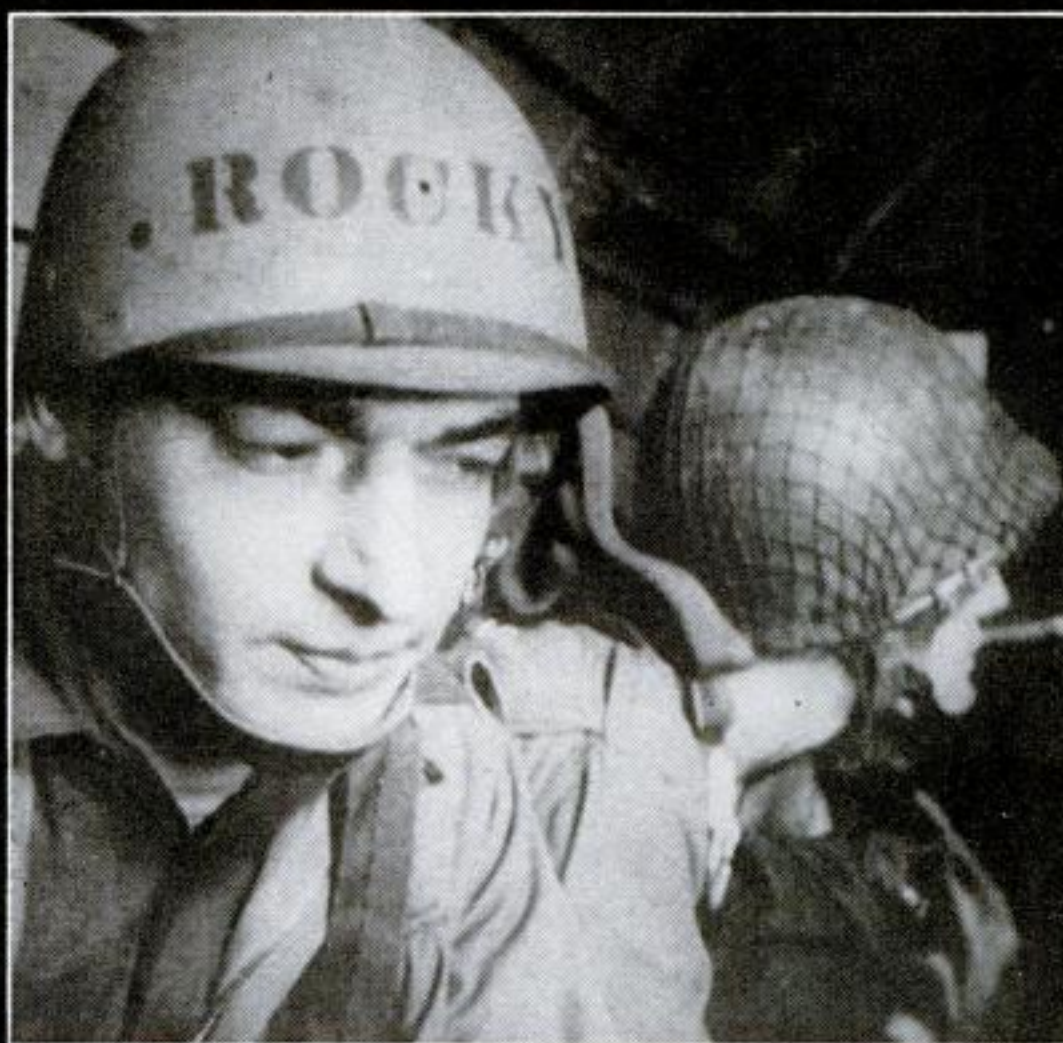
INVASION BY AIR WILL BE THE BIGGEST IN HISTORY

The U. S. and Britain have developed paratroopers and gliderborne troops to the point where they must not only seize guns and airfields and blow up bridges, but set up and hold a front in the enemy's rear. American paratroopers are the best equipped, British the most experienced, the exiled governments' troops the most bloodthirsty. By parachute or glider these forces, the biggest ever assembled anywhere, will land 75-mm. guns, bazookas, antitank guns, machine guns, explosives, jeeps, baby bulldozers, plus medical, signal corps and engineer units. These forces may capture whole cities well inside the German defense perimeter and hold them against German reinforcements, thus blocking German roads to Allied landing points. They may assault from the rear the coastal ports, at the same time sea-borne troops are attacking from the sea. These extra-skilled, extra-hardened young men constitute the Allies' best hope for total surprise.

The special nightmare for the Germans is that the Allied airborne commanders can feint with small forces until the last hour, revise their plans until the last minute and then throw their main forces at the most damaging possible point at the last second. Last week Adolf Hitler did what he could about this by moving his paratroop expert, Lieut. General Kurt Student, and picked airborne troops to positions on invasion coast.



CHURCHILL AND EISENHOWER (LEFT) INSPECT MANEUVER-HARDENED U.S. PARATROOPERS IN GERMANLIKE HELMETS



Just before the jump, a planeload of U.S. paratroopers is shown receiving cigarettes from the jumpmaster. The officers and men usually wear insignia under lapel, carry Garands,

carbines or submachine guns. Their uniform has now been adapted for regular infantry use. Notice (bottom center) the "static lines" that automatically release the 'trooper's back

parachute 15 feet below and behind the plane. He has a smaller, reserve parachute on his chest. A jump is usually from 600 feet up, taking about 45 seconds to the ground.



The coast of England is much like the coast of the continent of Europe, and so for months past the Americans have been mock-invading it in preparation. Here the American infantry slides up a Devonshire beach near Dartmouth, whose double they may find on the coast of

Europe. Notice heavy invasion packs with entrenching tools, mortar (left center), walkie-talkie aerial. Men are wearing old uniforms, to be replaced. Though this resembles many a photograph of South Pacific Marines in action, the Marines will not join this landing.



The faces the Germans would like to see, the commanding generals and staff officers of the U. S. divisions and corps, are on the other side of these grim-backed figures watching American maneuvers in England. These officers have had up to three years to teach their men the

skills of war. How well they have done so will be tested on the Continent. Relatively few U. S. infantry divisions, beyond those now in Italy and the Pacific, have had training of actual combat. If they get a good break on their first meeting with the enemy, they are made.



AND STILL THEY COME, DOWN ALL DOCKS OF THE UNITED KINGDOM, ON LAST STOP BEFORE FINAL SEA TRIP THAT WILL BRING THEM FACE TO FACE WITH THE NAZI

FRIENDS OF THE WOUNDED

A MANUAL OF HOW TO TREAT THE DISABLED OF THIS WAR WHEN THEY RETURN TO CIVILIAN LIFE

"AND ANOTHER THING, 'LIFE'," writes a disabled parachutist in angry capital letters, "WHY DON'T YOU PUBLISH AN ARTICLE ON 'HOW TO TREAT THE HURT AND WOUNDED'? NOT ONLY IS THE PUBLIC INCONSIDERATE TO THE WOUNDED BUT THEY DO NOT OBSERVE THE ORDINARY RULES OF COURTESY. THEY ARE SADLY LACKING IN THE POWERS OF OBSERVATION."

"HERE I AM, A DISCHARGED CRIPPLED VETERAN OF THIS WAR. I HAVE A HELL OF A TIME. I WOULD SWING ON MANY A PERSON IF I WAS JUST ABLE TO RAISE MY ARM."

The wounded are coming home. Already 1,220,036 men have been honorably discharged from the armed forces and have returned to civilian life. The exact percentage of those discharges who were disabled in combat is secret, but there have been enough so that you have begun to see them—perhaps you have one of them in your home. Not all are as bitter as this parachutist, but many have just cause for complaint.

This page will serve for you as an elementary manual of behavior toward these hurt men.

Intelligence Is a Duty

First of all, it is your duty to be well-informed. If the man is close to you, you should be in touch with the nearest rehabilitation agency to find out all there is to know about the readjustments a wounded man must make, especially about how he can get a job. If you do not know what the best local agency is, call his draft board.

Second, it is essential that you realize that the men who are discharged from the armed forces in and after World War II are not cripples. They are men. The services do a spectacular job of rehabilitating them before turning them back into civilian life. Expert doctors do plastic surgery and supply prosthetics, or artificial parts, so that the man looks whole. Hospitals work hard at restoring confidence. In one, for instance, pretty girls come to the bedsides of men who are totally deaf. The girls engage the men in "conversation" by writing questions down and letting the men talk. After several such "talks," in which the girls catch the men's talk perfectly normally, perhaps after the men have had fun playing cards or other games, the girls reveal in an offhand way that they, too, are wholly deaf.

Third, be casual. Treat the man as if he were the normal human being he was before he went away, for that is what he wants to be now. In order to be casual, it may be necessary to be tough—not with him but with yourself. One of the most important things is not to show grief or pity. Exaggerated sympathy is far worse than no sympathy at all.

Fourth, it is important to know that when he first gets home, the wounded man goes through a period of lethargy and apathy. He seems depressed and lazy. You must realize that this is a natural phenomenon and that you cannot expect him to take an immediate interest in civilian life. Do not scold him for loafing and indifference. Try, instead, to get his mind interested and his body busy—but without goading.

Fifth, never help him unless he shows that he wants your help. If he has only one hand, never cut his meat for him; he can and ought to do it himself. If he is on crutches, he will resent your taking his arm and fussing over his sitting down or standing up. Never tie his shoes, even though he seems to go through agony tying them himself. If necessary, but preferably only if he himself thinks of it, you can make things easy for him—by buying buckle shoes, for instance. But keep mechanical aids to a minimum, and especially avoid the noticeable ones, such as the complicated knife-and-fork-in-one which has been designed for one-armed men. Give him, instead, a razor-sharp steel-bladed knife and a reinforced fork that looks as much as possible like the rest of your table silver. If left alone he will invent his own devices and feel surer of himself as a result.

On the other hand, you must bear in mind that disability is tiring. An artificial leg up to the hip is a burden as well as a support to its wearer. It is fastened to him with a harness which goes over his shoulders. He has to work when he walks. With every injury, new muscles must be trained, new habits formed. Friends can help by realizing, but not showing that they realize, how tiring the effort is.

A Sympathetic Ear Helps

Sixth, be natural and considerate in your conversation. He will talk about his disability when he wants to, but should not be probed and pestered with curiosity. Above all, if he wants to talk about his war experiences, do not cut right into his recital with amateur observations such as: "The other day I saw a ship tied up at a dock with a hole in it. It must have been torpedoed." If you cannot talk about war theaters, plane types, generals or battles with intelligence, it is better just to listen. Few things are so nerve-racking to returned soldiers as inaccuracies, half-understandings, eager interjections to show knowledge.

Seventh, don't stare. It is natural for people who have not been touched by calamity to be curious about those who have. But the most hurtful thing you can do is to fasten your eyes on a prosthetic hand or a glass eye. This is especially true in the case of facial deformities.

Eighth, never forget that a man's own family can make him more irritable than anyone else. You may be fond of him but you do not serve that fondness well if you coddle

him and sigh, if you are too busy on his behalf, if you show any anxiety for his future—if, in short, you do not make yourself just as impersonal in his presence as his casual acquaintances are.

Besides these general rules, there are, of course, special treatments for different traumas. For instance, you can help a blinded man by rearranging the furniture in your home so that it is easiest for him to find his way around—and then never changing it. On behalf of an orthopedic casualty, you can find out what kind of chair he is especially comfortable in, and then have plenty of such chairs handy. For specific ideas for various handicaps, consult the specialized agencies, which the local chapter of the Red Cross will track down for you.

The Very Heart of a Comeback

At the very heart of the wounded man's comeback lies the question of his going back to work. Do not forget that Article VIII of the Selective Service Law says of honorably discharged men: "An employee of . . . a private employer, unless the employer's circumstances have so changed as to make it impossible or unreasonable to do so, must be restored to his position or to a position of like seniority, status, and pay." But to benefit from this law, wounded men must apply for reemployment within 40 days after being discharged. If the injury disqualifies a man for his former job, his draft board will help him find work he can do.

There is one way in which families can help wounded men readjust themselves to work. That is not to forget that the man's first job may not be the best one for him. There is a discharged marine in Binghamton, N. Y., whose shoulder was so cruelly hurt in action on Guadalcanal, that certain tendons were destroyed and he could no longer lift, stretch, push, reach. He got a job lifting airplane propellers. He could not handle this job and lost it. He got another, pulling a heavy cart in a factory and lost that. After losing two more jobs, he became very depressed, thinking he would never find work he could do. Finally he got a job sitting at a table assembling camera parts with his fingers. Now he is leading a normal, happy life again.

But no one can help the returning wounded so much as the employers. They must not make these men feel that they are, or ever could be, objects of charity. They must not let them think they are being hired just because they were hurt. On the other hand, a decent sense of gratitude should give employers a sense of duty toward disabled fighters.

All this adds up to just one truth. The wounded man who comes home has many adjustments to make, but he will never make them unless his family, friends and fellow-workers take the trouble to adjust themselves to him.

PICTURE OF THE WEEK

There is no safe place on the Anzio beachhead. Even the sick and wounded are within range of German guns. In the picture on the opposite page

Pfc. Robert Scullion of Salem, Ohio, holds Purple Heart given him for wound received in the beachhead hospital. He had been sent there for stomach

trouble and was not hit until a shell exploded just outside his ward. The mesh of holes in background show how tent was sprayed by shell fragments.



Anzio veteran who was wounded in bed shows his Purple Heart

WASHINGTON BURIES KNOX

Notables and ordinary citizens attend his funeral

On May Day Frank Knox, newspaperman, Republican, soldier of two wars and secretary of the world's biggest navy, was buried among the heroes in Arlington National Cemetery. It was Washington's most impressive official funeral since the death of William Howard Taft in 1930. As the black caisson which bore the casket moved down Constitution Avenue, the thousands lined on the sidewalks saw just about every dignitary in the city. The list of honorary pallbearers, led by Acting Secretary of the Navy Forrestal and Admiral King (bottom center), read like the



SECRETARY KNOX'S BODY PASSES NAVY DEPARTMENT BUILDING ON ARTILLERY CAISSON DRAWN BY SIX MATCHED GRAYS



PROCESSION TURNS AFTER CROSSING BRIDGE OVER THE



WHITE HOUSE PARTY MOURNS AT ARLINGTON. IN SECOND ROW ARE HENRY WALLACE AND SECRETARY OF STATE HULL



HONORARY PALLBEARERS SALUTE CAISSON. AT THE LEFT

opening pages of the *Navy Register*. Representing the President, who on doctor's orders had remained on vacation in the South, was a party which included Mrs. Roosevelt, Anna Boettiger, White House Aides Major General Watson and Rear Admiral Brown (bottom left). These were only part of the full weight of big names.

Although Washington was uncomfortably hot on May Day, the funeral was stately and beautiful. It began with a short ceremony in Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, where Frank Knox had worshipped. Over the flag-draped coffin and

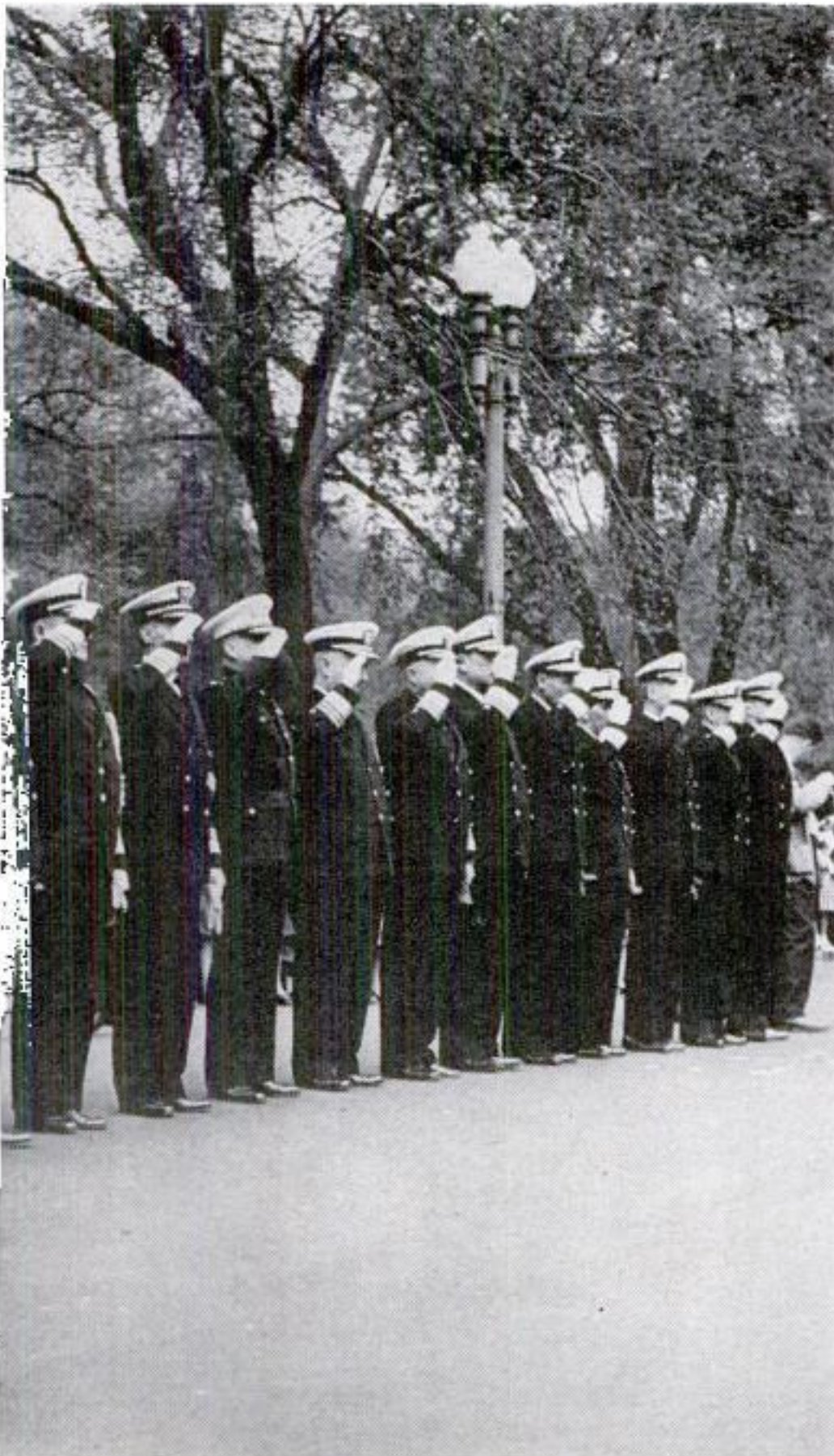
gorgeous wreaths an organ and violin played Schubert's *Ave Maria*. Dr. Fred Buschmeyer, Knox's pastor, conducted a simple service. A choir of 40 Navy men sang the Navy hymn *Eternal Father, Strong to Save*. At the Reflecting Pool of the Lincoln Memorial another choir sang *Rock of Ages* and *Nearer My God to Thee*. On Constitution Avenue the funeral procession was joined by battalions of Navy men, Coast Guardsmen, Marines, Waves, Spars and Women Marines. Then everyone filed across the Potomac and quietly watched as the body of a good man was laid to rest.



POTOMAC. THOUSANDS LINED ROUTE TO THE CEMETERY



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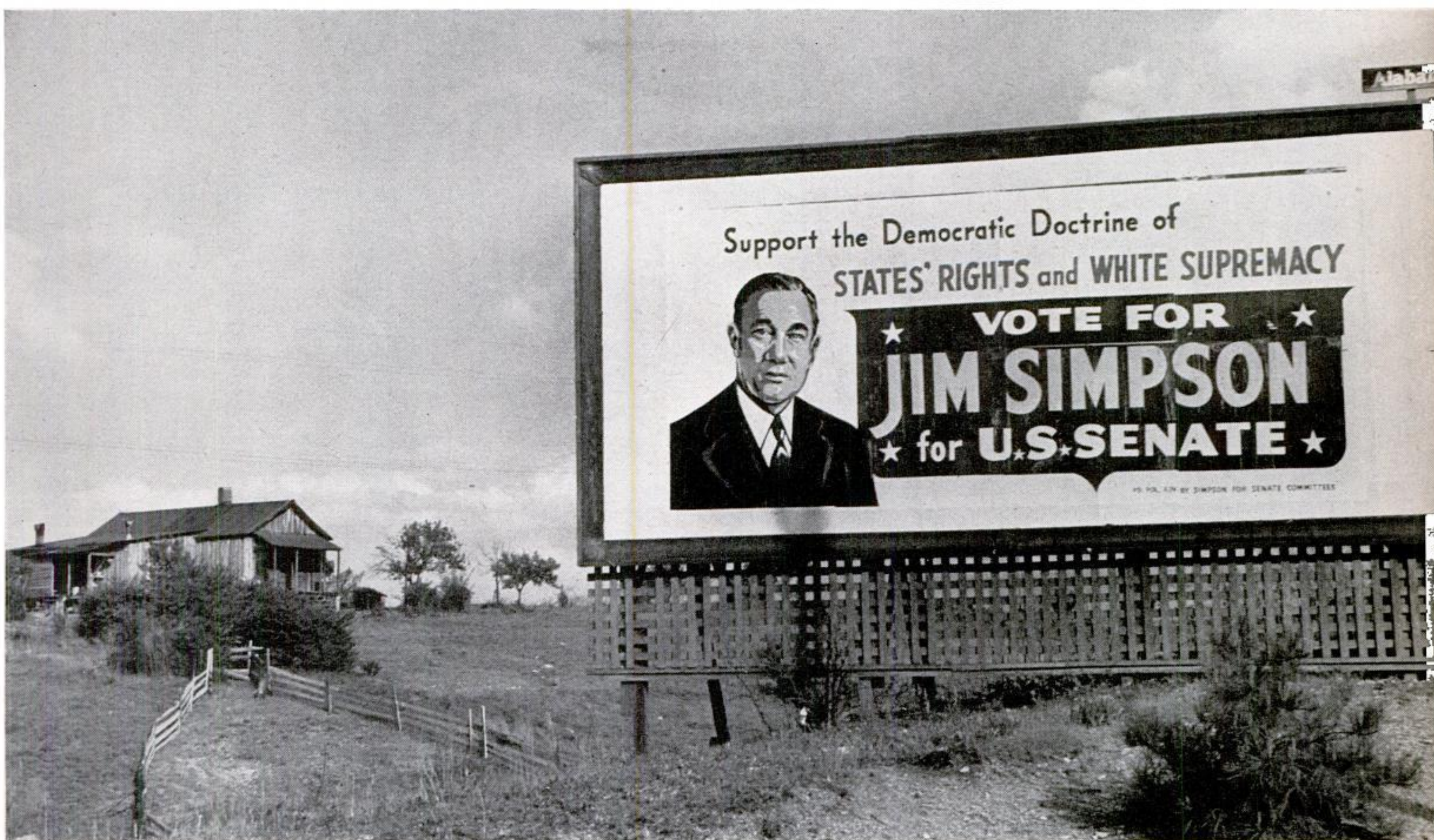
MRS. KNOX KNEELS (LEFT) AS BUGLER SOUNDS "TAPS" OVER CASKET. MARINE IN CENTER HOLDS SECRETARY'S FLAG



The Hill-Simpson campaign in Alabama's Democratic primary was argued out in the courtrooms and main streets of little rural towns. Lister Hill, speaking, above, at Tuscumbia, defended his pro-Roosevelt record in the Senate, where he is Majority Whip and where he has

supported most New Deal measures. Jim Simpson attacked federal bureaucracy, wartime strikes, race equality and loss of power by the states. Below, in Hanceville, Simpson explains how Washington has pegged farm prices down while allowing other prices to go up.





BIG BILLBOARDS LIKE THIS WERE ON DISPLAY ALL OVER ALABAMA, URGING VOTERS TO VOTE FOR JIM SIMPSON. THE FENCE NEAR THE HOUSE AT LEFT ENCLOSES A FEW PIGS

VOTING IN THE SOUTH

Ever since April 3, when the Supreme Court ruled that Texas could not bar Negroes from voting in its Democratic primaries, there have been new and ominous political stirrings in the South. Some southern Negroes thought the decision would automatically open polls to them. By registering and paying their poll taxes they have been preparing to exercise the franchise. But most white Southerners have no intention of sharing their political rights with Negroes, regardless of the Supreme Court decision. In addition, a rising sense of race tension has been threatening to complicate an already complicated problem.

In Alabama last week Senator Lister Hill won renomination to the U.S. Senate by 25,000 votes in the state's Democratic primary. His victory over Jim Simpson, a Birmingham lawyer and president pro tem of the state senate, was a relative

HILL WINS ALABAMA PRIMARY, BUT SUPREME COURT DECISION FAILS TO LET NEGROES INTO THE POLLS

victory for race tolerance. Into the campaign Simpson injected the issue of white supremacy (see billboard above). His supporters accused Lister Hill of being a "nigger lover," of favoring the abolition of race segregation in the South. These charges were denied by Hill, who declared that he always had been in favor of white supremacy. He then went on to press his campaign, not on racial issues, but on his support of President Roosevelt and the war. Most of Alabama's farmers and laborers voted for him, and his victory was interpreted as an indication of the continued strength of the New Deal in the South.

In the primary itself, very few Alabama Negroes got to vote. Some were allowed into the polls in Birmingham and a handful elsewhere. The pictures below show what happened on May 2 to groups of Negroes trying to vote in the city of Mobile.



A group of Negroes in Mobile walks up to St. Joseph's Parish School to vote in the Democratic primary May 2. They have paid their poll tax and have been duly registered as voters.



They are refused entrance to the polls. A deputy sheriff bars door, saying, "This is a white primary. You can't vote here." The Negroes left quietly. There was no violence on either side.

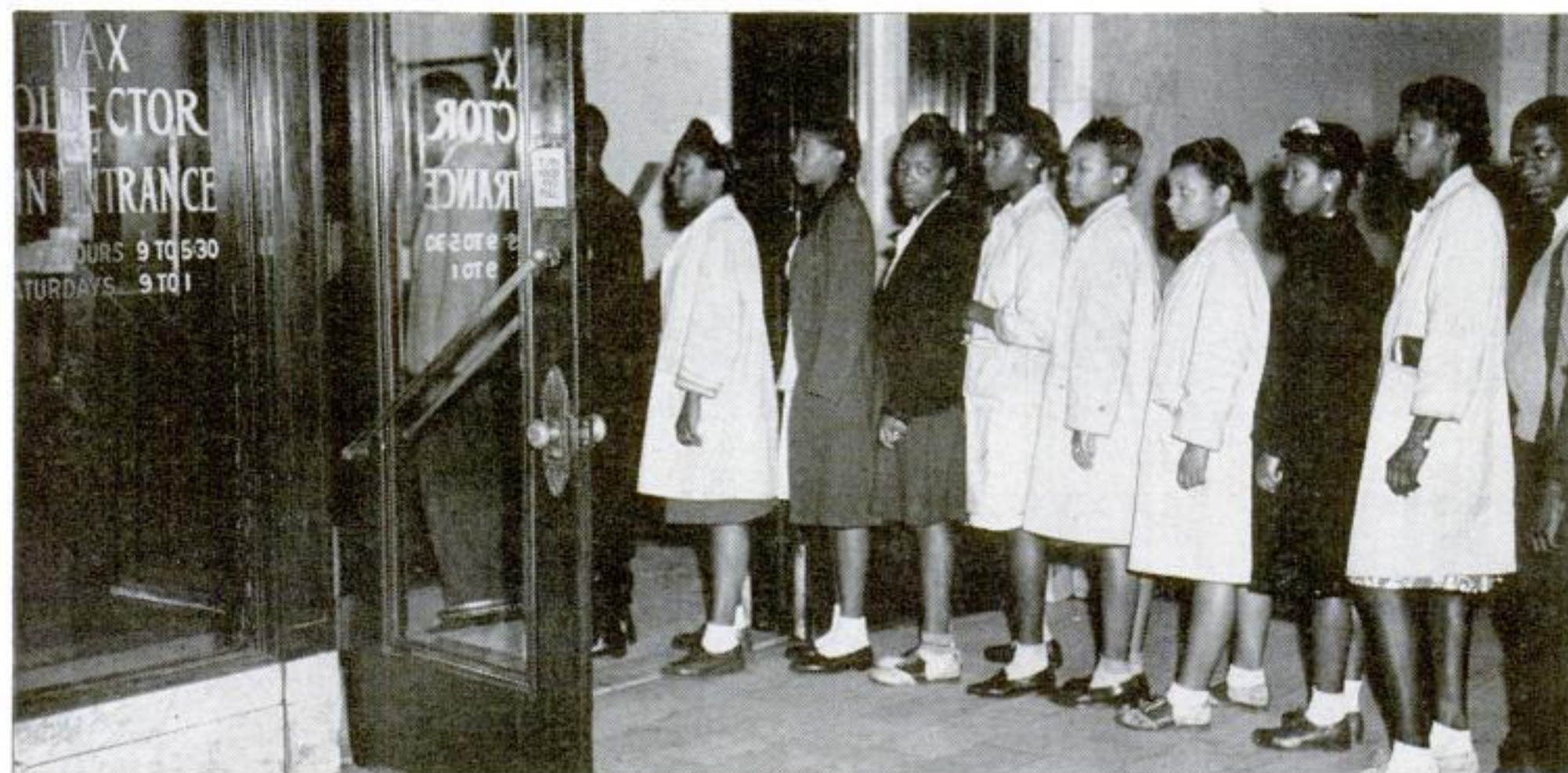


Two other Negroes are refused permission to vote after being allowed inside a voting place. Some are told to take complaints to the courts. They plan to.



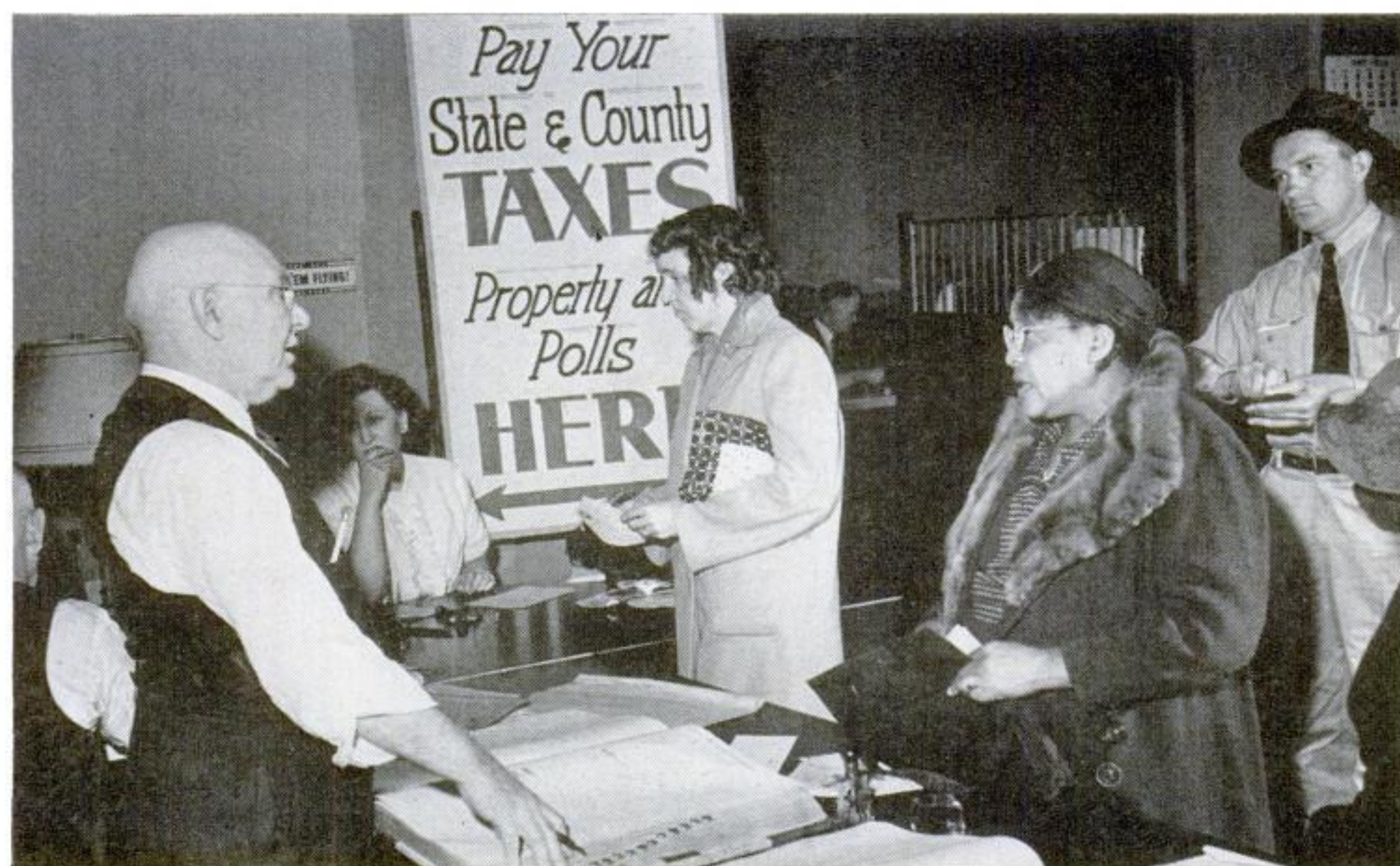
In Miami, Fla., May 2, Negroes voted in the Republican primary, but not in the Democratic primary which was kept exclusively white. In Miami's Dade County Negroes are

not permitted by law to register as Democrats, but some 8,000 of them are registered as Republicans or independents. Senator Claude Pepper won Democratic nomination.



In Atlanta, Ga., in which state voting age has been cut to 18, Negro high-school children are brought by their teacher to register. These kids were among 150 from Booker T.

Washington High School. There was no disturbance at any of the registration places and the Negroes were treated in the same way in which the white registrants are treated.



In Nashville, Tenn. a white woman and a colored woman pay their poll taxes. In Tennessee the legislature recently repealed state's poll tax. State Supreme Court, however,

ruled it did not have such power. The poll tax, it said, could be repealed only by constitutional amendment. Poll taxes actually keep more poor whites than Negroes from voting.

NEGRO REGISTRATION AND VOTING IS HEDGED AROUND WITH MANY RESTRICTIONS

In the South Negro voting is made difficult if not impossible with a variety of restrictions. There all campaign issues are settled in the Democratic primary, leaving the general election itself as something of a political appendix. To vote in a primary, Negroes (as well as whites) must first pay a poll tax (in eight states) and then register. But a series of legal technicalities, differing from state to state, are used to discourage the Negro from attempting to vote. In some states registration is closed months ahead of the primary so that the improvident Negro will not get around to it until too late. In other states residence or literacy qualifications are either strict, or enforced strictly where the Negro is concerned.

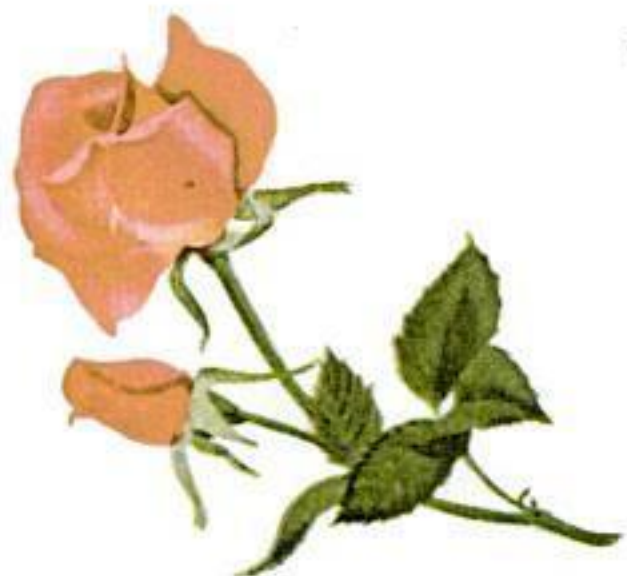
It is easier for Negroes in the large cities of the South to vote than in the rural areas. In some cities like Memphis Negroes are registered and voted as a bloc by the white machine boss who uses them to counterbalance the all-white rural vote. It is also easier for a well-educated Negro who is willing and financially able to take his case to the courts to vote, than for the uneducated masses. For the overwhelming majority of southern Negroes, however, voting is still something only the white man does.

Progressive organizations such as the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People are attempting the dual job of arousing the Negroes' interest in voting and pressing the Negro-vote issue through the courts. They urge as many Negroes as possible to go to the polls. Last week their urgings were behind many Negroes who turned out to vote in Alabama and Florida and to register or pay poll taxes in Georgia and Tennessee. In some few places their people were permitted to vote; in most places they were turned away. But nowhere was there violence. White southerners apparently realize the conflict cannot be solved by physical means. And colored southerners had no desire to make a rough-and-tumble spectacle of their political ambitions.



A Negro student registers in Atlanta, Ga. The boy has been urged to do so by the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. The primary in Georgia is July 4.

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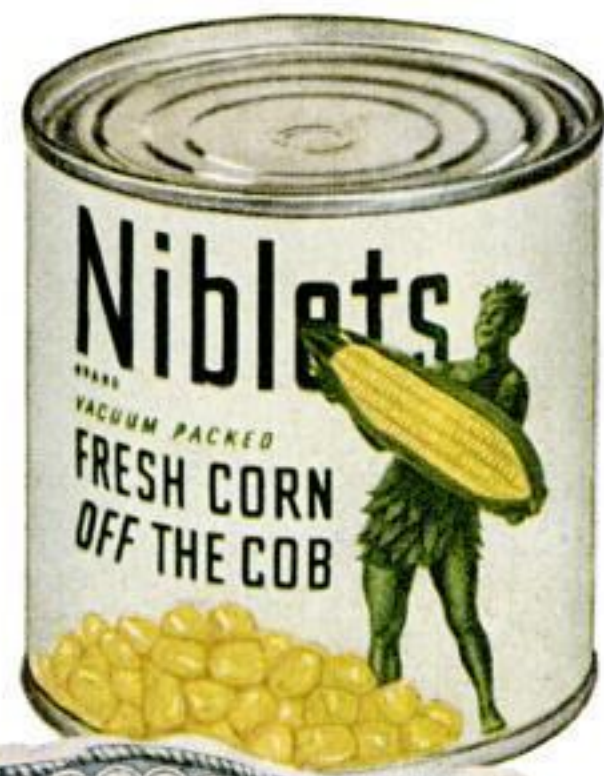
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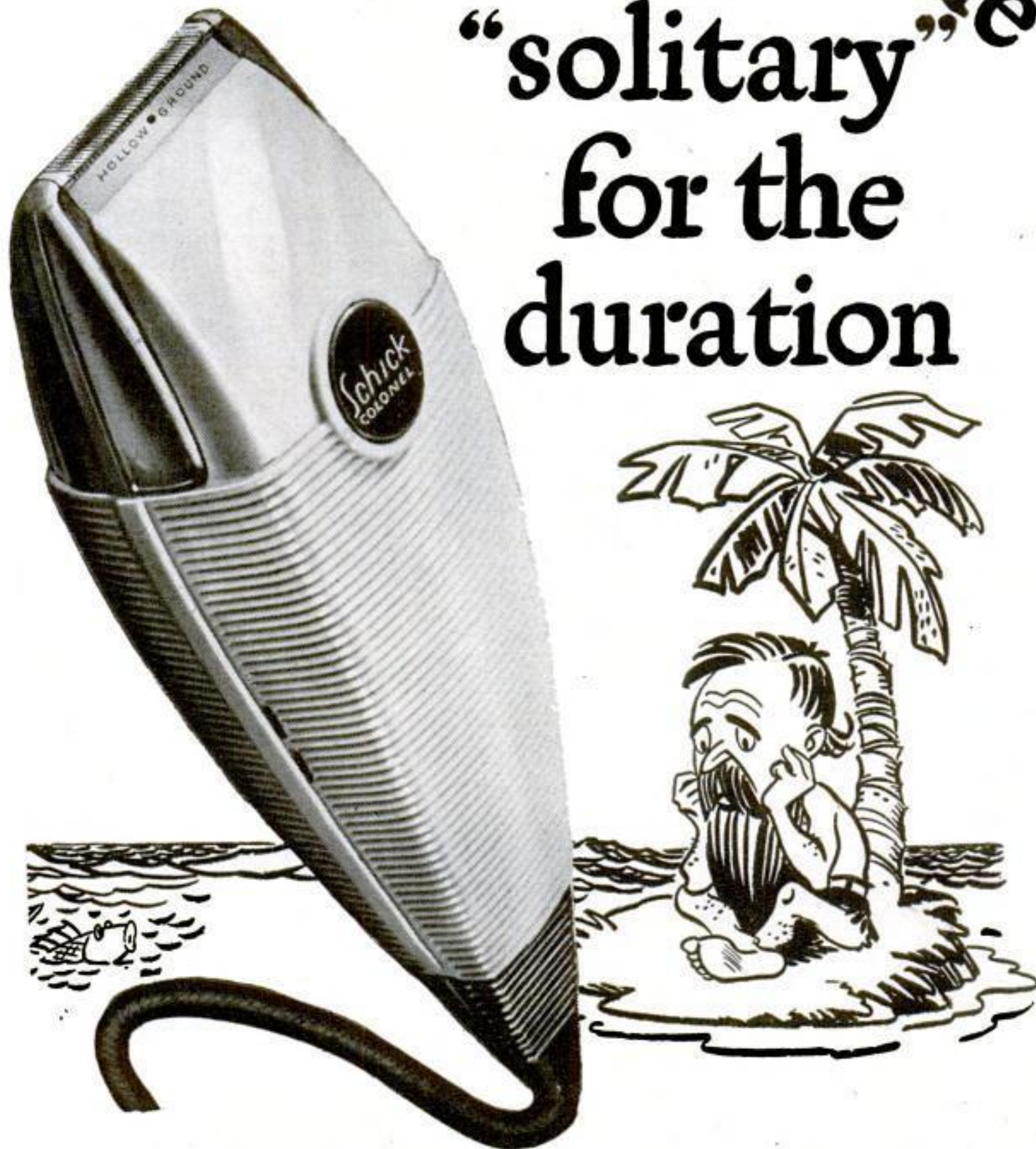
A week after the Supreme Court's decision on Texas primaries Governor Johnston of South Carolina called a special session of the State Legislature to "repeal all laws pertaining to primaries in order to maintain white supremacy in our Democratic primaries." His idea was that if all such laws were

repealed, the primaries would be left without a legal basis. Hence they would not be subject to regulation by the courts (*i. e.*, Supreme Court) and could be run any way South Carolina wanted to run them (*i. e.*, without Negroes). In six frantic days about 170 statutory references to primaries were repealed.



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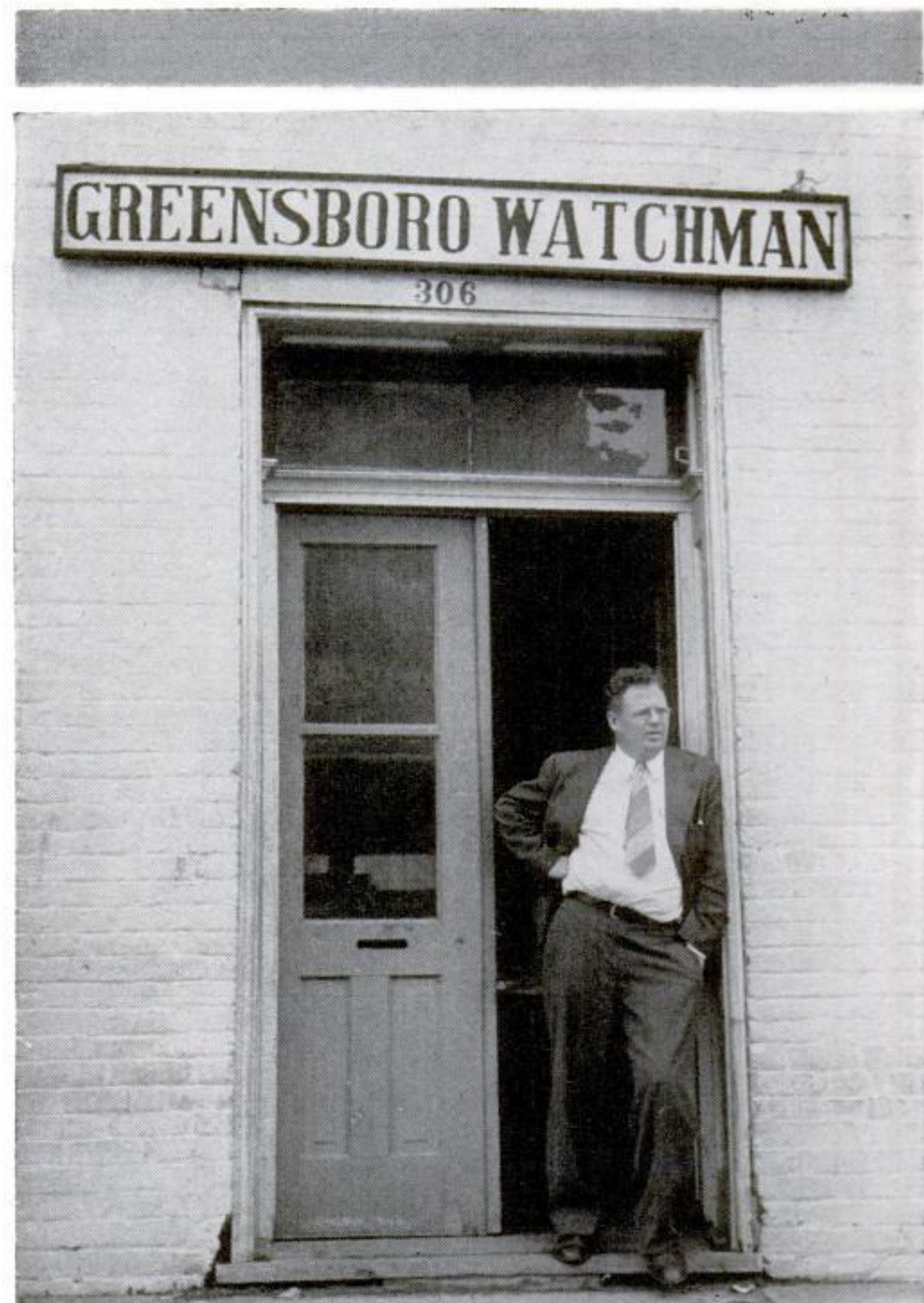
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Voting in the South (continued)



Hamner Cobbs, Greensboro Watchman and Southern Watchman editor, is famous as Alabama's most militant "white supremacy" newspaperman. He supported Simpson. Cobbs featured Mrs. Roosevelt meeting Negroes with such headlines as, "Eleanor Advised to Keep Nose Out of Dixie Problems," or, "Race Riot News Not Bad Reading, Says First Lady." Some southerners have protested Cobbs's type of journalism.



Ralph E. McGill, editor of the Atlanta Constitution, is famous for his tolerance and depth of understanding of southern problems. He feels that the South must gradually change its attitude toward the Negroes, but realizes that any change cannot be arbitrarily imposed. He has always been a supporter of minority groups. He led the fight in 1942 to defeat Governor Talmadge, a militant "white supremacy" man.

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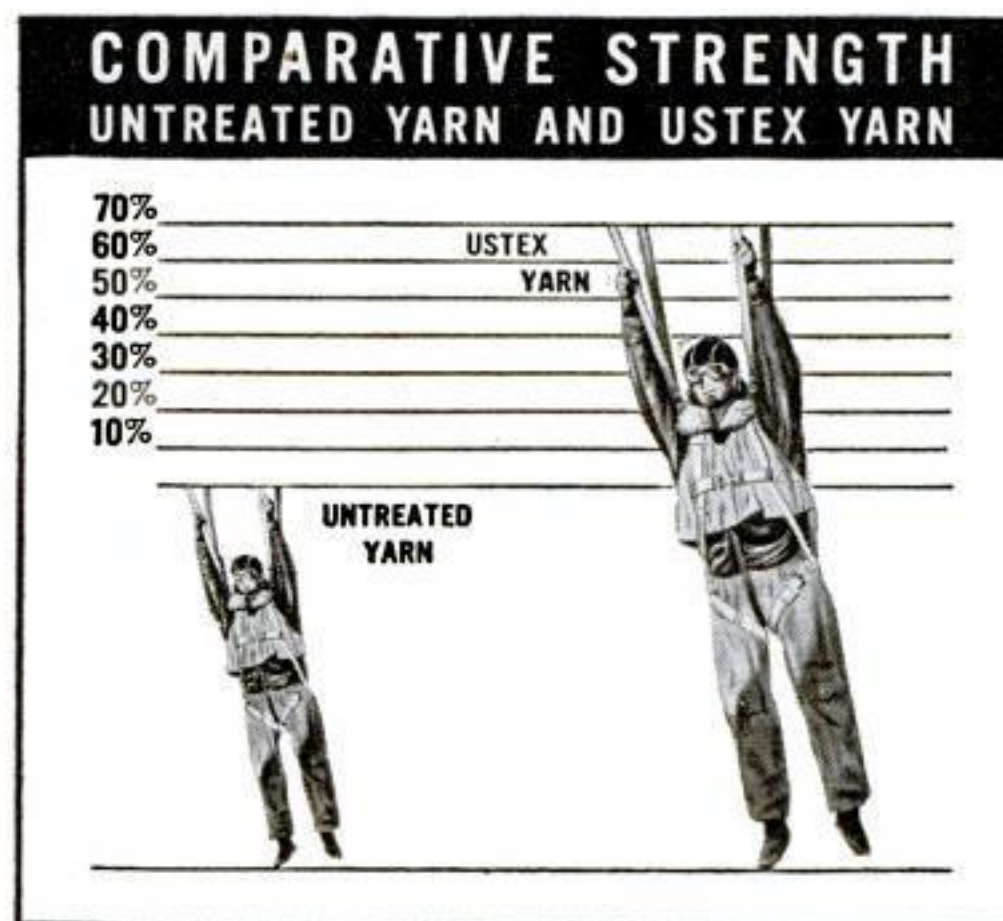
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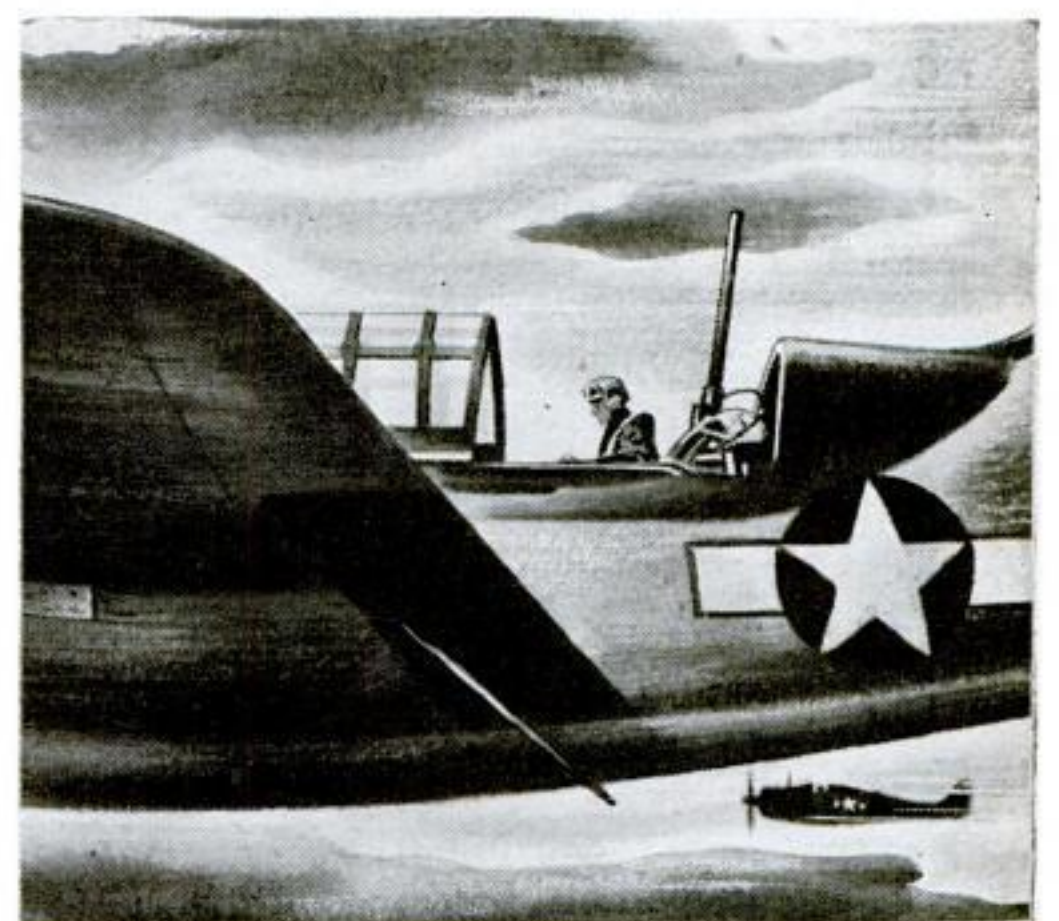
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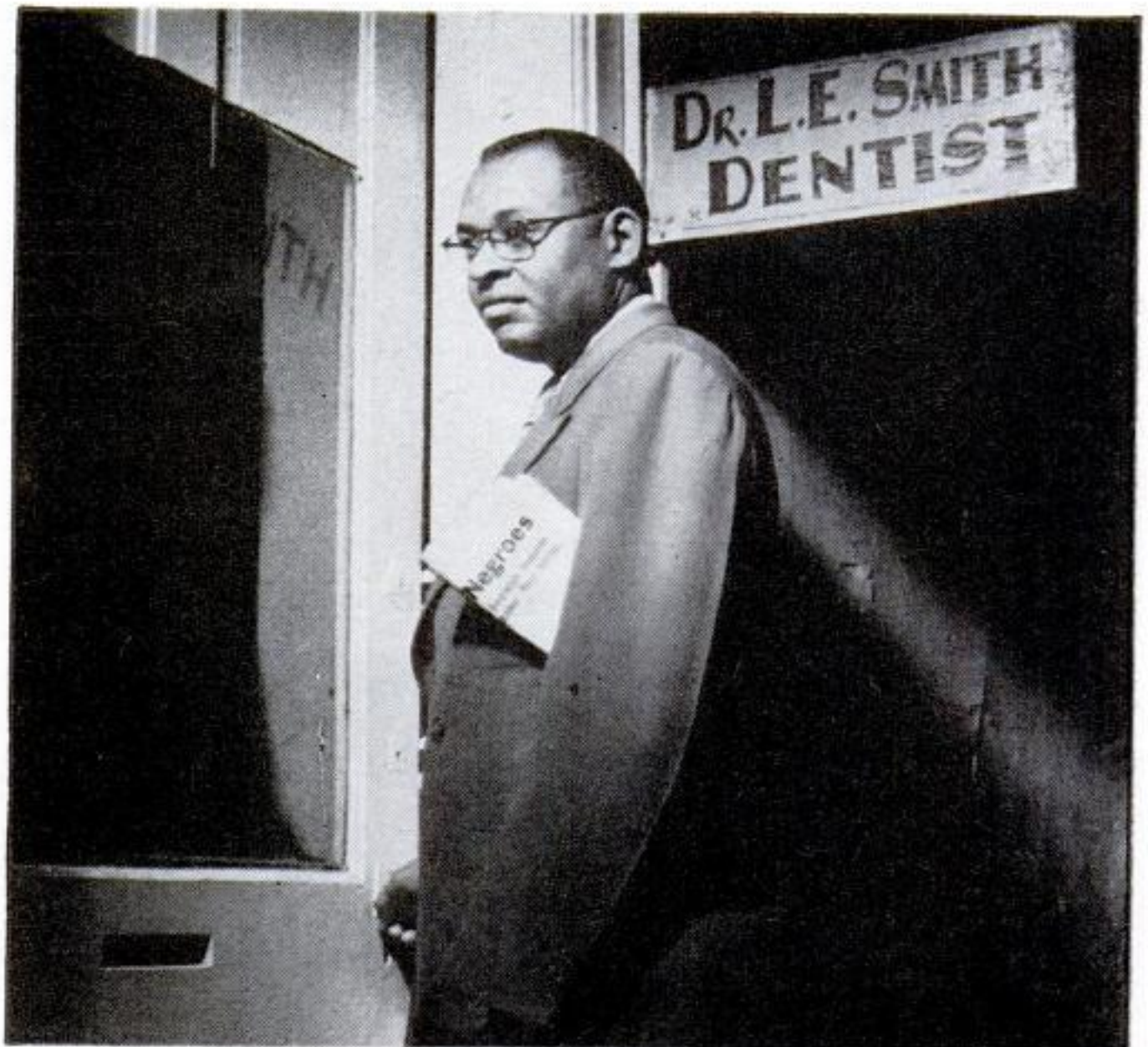
Voting in the South (continued)



White men and Negroes meet in Southern Regional Council at Atlanta to work out "social, economic, political, and racial problems of the South." At meeting a resolution was approved condemning politicians who raise issue of white supremacy.



Negro candidate for Republican nomination to House of Representatives, John Calhoun, speaks in Atlanta: "Every man in Georgia has the right to register. Don't be scared . . . nobody's going to hurt you. Most of the white people are your friends."



Man behind Supreme Court decision is Lonnie E. Smith, who was barred from voting in a 1940 Democratic primary in Houston, Texas. On April 3, the Supreme Court ruled (8-1) that right to vote "may not be abridged by a State on account of race."



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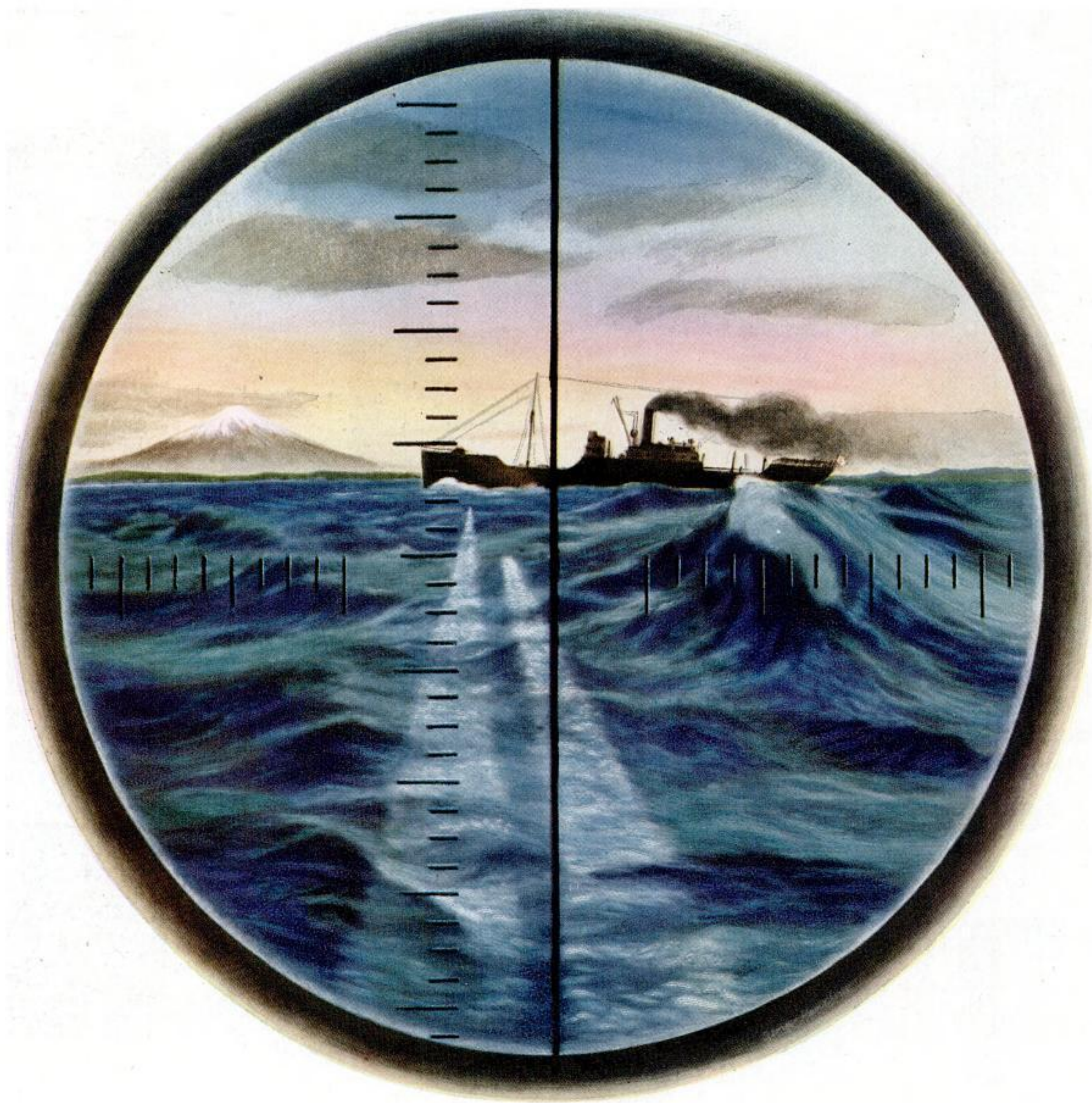
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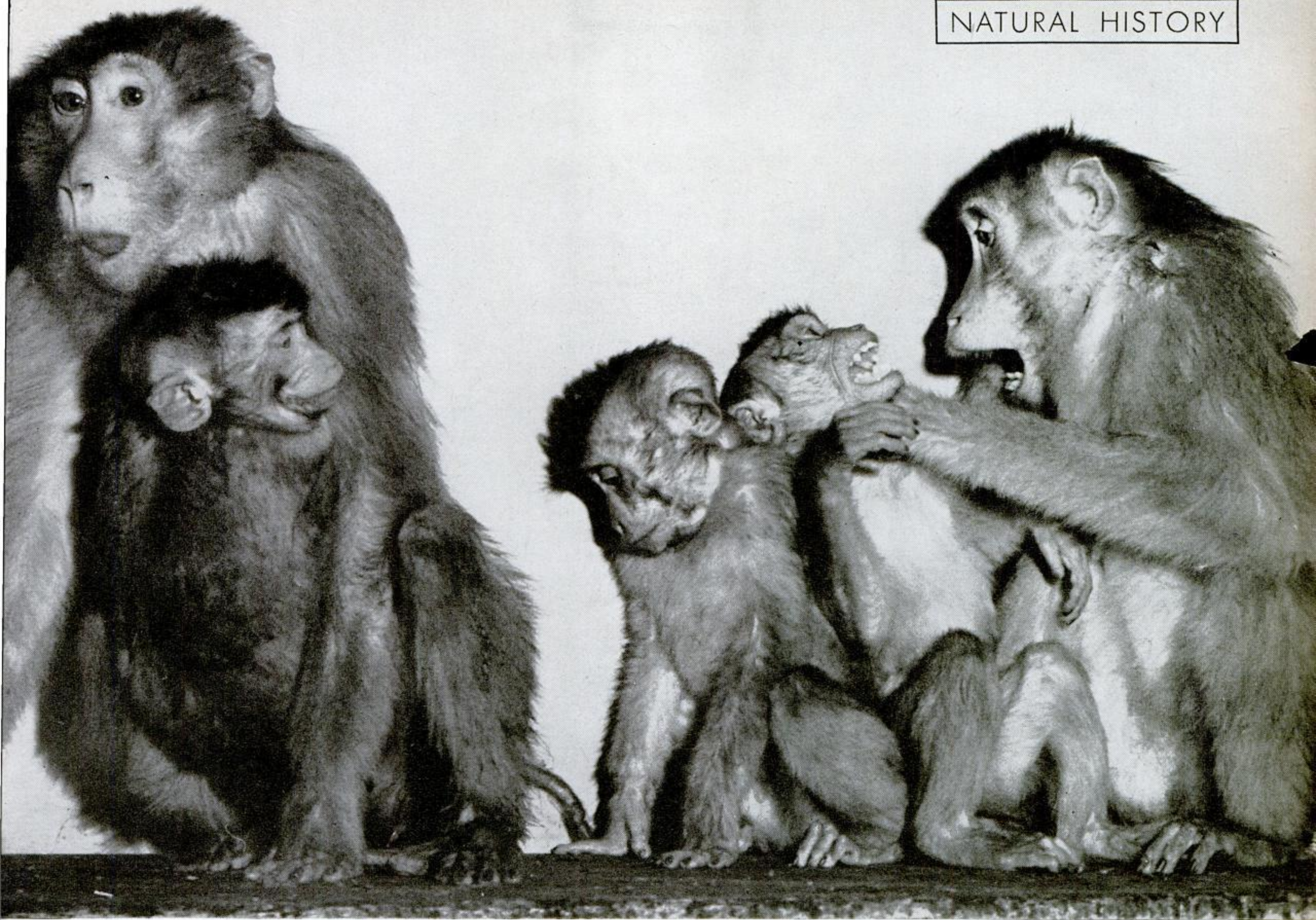
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GOOD BABY MONKEY (LEFT) HUGS MOTHER AS BAD BABY MONKEY (RIGHT) IS CHASTISED FOR MISBEHAVING IN CHICAGO BROOKFIELD ZOO. THESE ARE PIG-TAILED MACAQUES

BABY COMMON MACAQUE (ALSO CALLED RHESUS MONKEY) WAS BORN MARCH 15, BRONX ZOO, N.Y.

BABYTIME AT THE ZOO

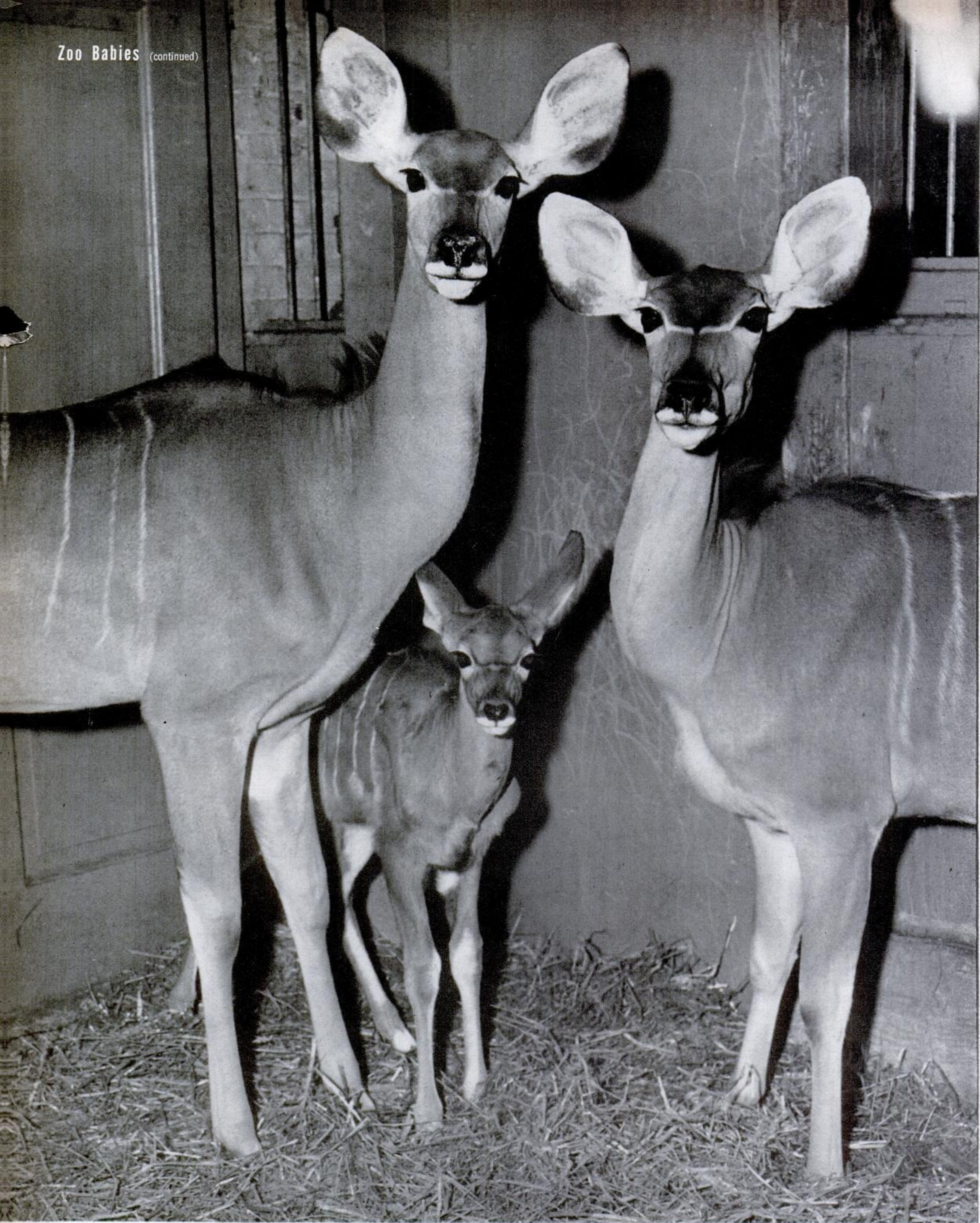
Mother animals have new problems to solve now that their mating and waiting is over

Zoo babies are born almost any time during the year, but spring is the time when they get their pictures taken. This year, as usual, there are all kinds of interesting new babies in the nation's zoos. The rarest are Philadelphia's twin kangaroos (*see p. 45*). Kangaroos aren't used to multiple births, and apparently the mother pushed one of the twins out of her pouch onto the floor of her cage. It is now being bottle-raised on a formula. The little monkey at right in the Bronx Zoo in N. Y. is obviously no worry to its mother, but the pig-tailed youngster in the photograph above (*right of picture*) is one of the worst-behaved babies in Chicago. He carried on so while this photograph was being taken that his mother grabbed him by the throat and gave him a shaking.

The monkey mothers on this page went through a worrisome seven months' pregnancy before their babies were born. That is the average gestation period for many types of monkeys. Among other mammals it varies widely. Some sample statistics: elephant, 21 months; whale and camel, 12 months; man, gorilla and kudu (*see p. 44*), nine months; lion, three-and-a-half months; mouse, 21 days. Whales have the biggest babies (seven tons and up) and opossums the smallest (12 of them will fit into a soup spoon). Animals that eat grass (deer, buffalo) have babies that can walk almost as soon as they are born. But the fierce flesh-eaters (bears, lions) are born blind and helpless (*see p. 46-47*).

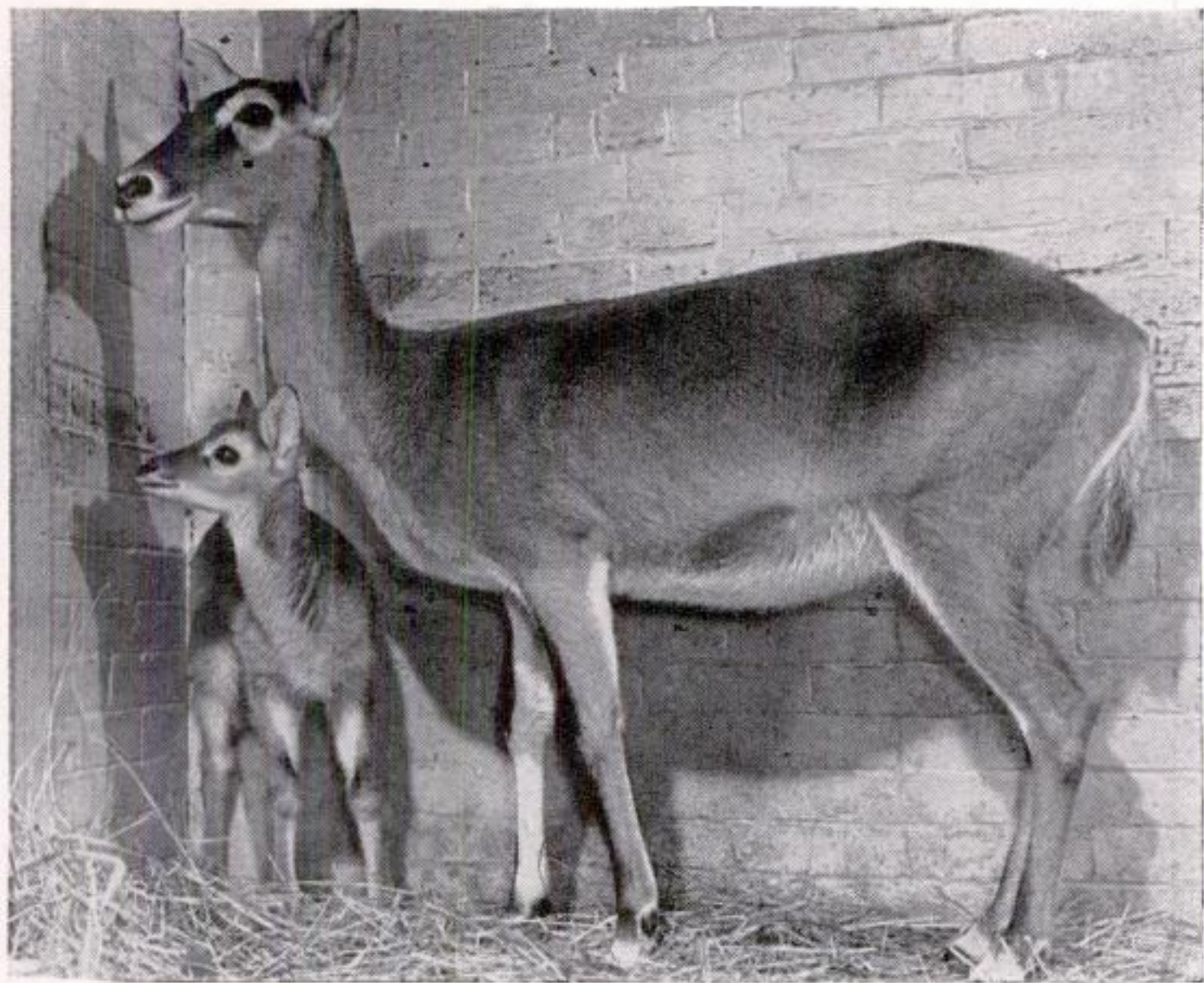


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The greater kudu is a big brown African antelope with perpendicular white stripes, knobby knees and oversized ears that look like anti-aircraft sonic devices. It has the same gestation period as man: approximately 270 days. The two-month-old kudu shown standing between its

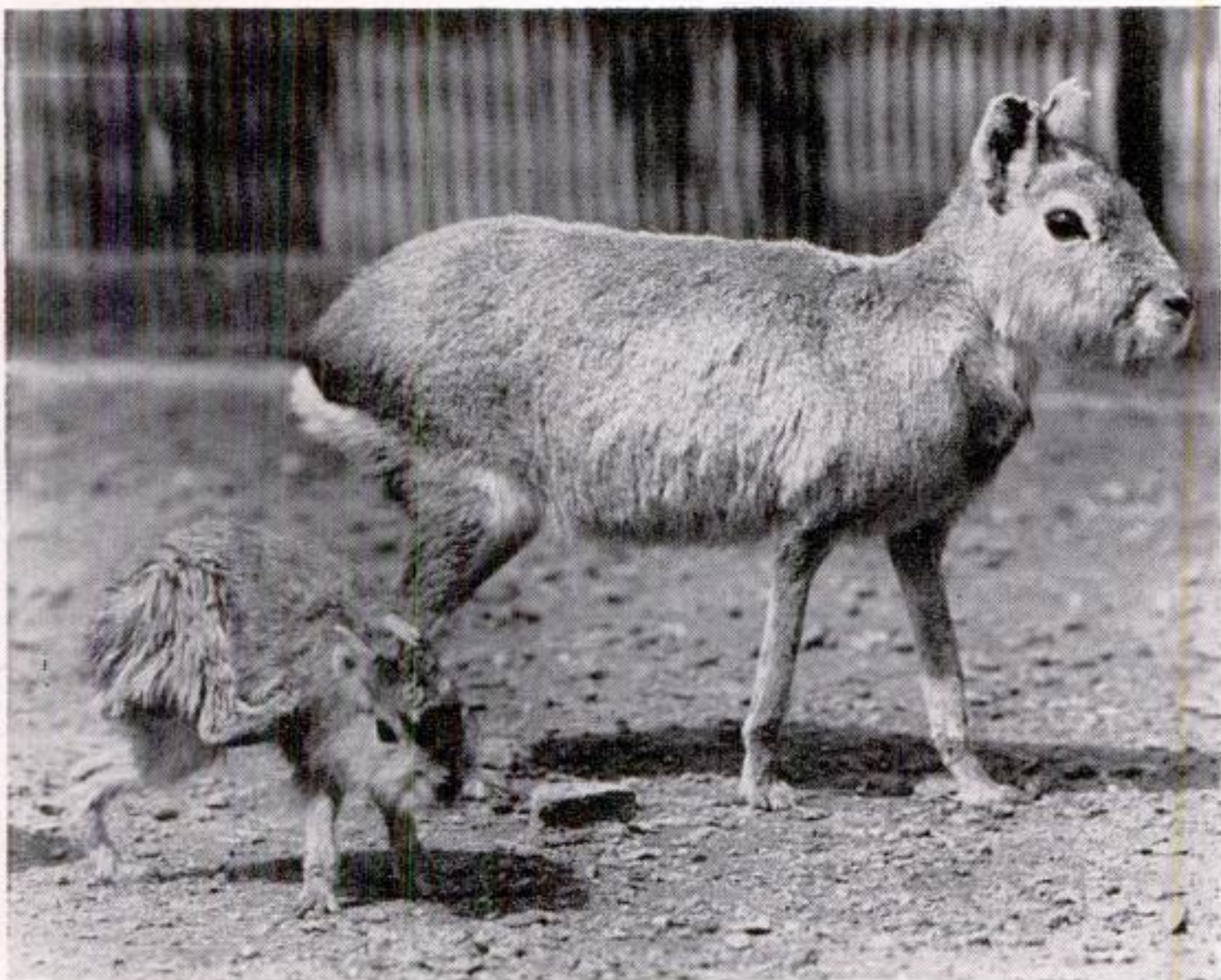
mother and another female, already has a name: "Grand Son o' Kruger," after Oom Paul Kruger, the Boer War leader. Like his mother and grandmother, he was born in Chicago's Brookfield Zoo. When he grows up he will be 5 feet tall and have a set of spirally twisting horns.



White-eared kob antelope was born March 13 at Bronx Zoo. Zoo babies get sick sometimes, and this one developed an infection that was difficult to treat because it was so easily frightened. It died on April 20 after an operation. The gestation period of the mother: 243 days.



Baby aoudads cluster around their parents in the Bronx Zoo. These shaggy beasts are also known as Barbary sheep. They look and act like American billy goats, are generally healthy in captivity and are very persistent and prolific in breeding. Their gestation period is 160 days.



Patagonian cavy is another Bronx Zoo baby. It was born March 19 and was able to find its own food the following day. Cavies are related to guinea pigs, have no tails, converse in faint squeaks and grunts, and they have only one or two babies a year. Gestation period: 90 days.



Baby kangaroo sees the world from mother Susie's pouch in Philadelphia Zoo (*above*). Below, its homeless twin is fed by Mrs. Isabelle Kauffeld, who also knitted the little sweater. Kangaroos rarely have twins and Susie dropped her extra baby on floor. Gestation period: 40 days.



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Zoo Babies (continued)



This lioness in Pittsburgh Highland Park Zoo had five cubs but only four teats to feed them with, so the weakest one soon began to starve. The mother watched him



Baby Bactrian camel was born on March 31 in the Washington Zoo. Its two future humps already show in faint outline. Camels are stupid animals, too lazy to be really



with pitying eyes, weighed him in her mouth, finally ate him up one night as an act of mercy. Other cubs are now doing fine (*see above*). Gestation period: 90-105 days.



wild, too dumb to be tamed or taught. During mating season male camels emit loud bubbling roars and fight savagely with other males. Gestation period: 12 months.

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Zoo Babies (continued)



Hartebeest in Chicago's Brookfield Zoo are the survivors of the last family of wild hartebeest on record. Once these big, red, fleet-footed antelopes ranged over all of Africa; now they are believed to be extinct. Their gestation period: 214-242 days.



Sicilian dwarf donkey in Pittsburgh Highland Park Zoo is named Thomas Jefferson. Its mother (right) stands only three feet high but has real donkey ears. She was a gift from Democratic chairman of Pennsylvania. Gestation period: about one year.

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"Why can't you smile like husbands in the movies?" complained Elsie

"MOVIE HUSBANDS get paid for smiling," bellowed Elmer, the bull. "I get leftovers for dinner. Smile? Bah, I won't even look pleasant."

"Those leftovers were delicious—as you would have found out if you'd tried them," protested Elsie, the Borden Cow. "Besides, we can't waste food. Do you realize that nearly enough food to feed all our millions of fighting men for a year is wasted in American homes annually? Doesn't that make you stop and think?"

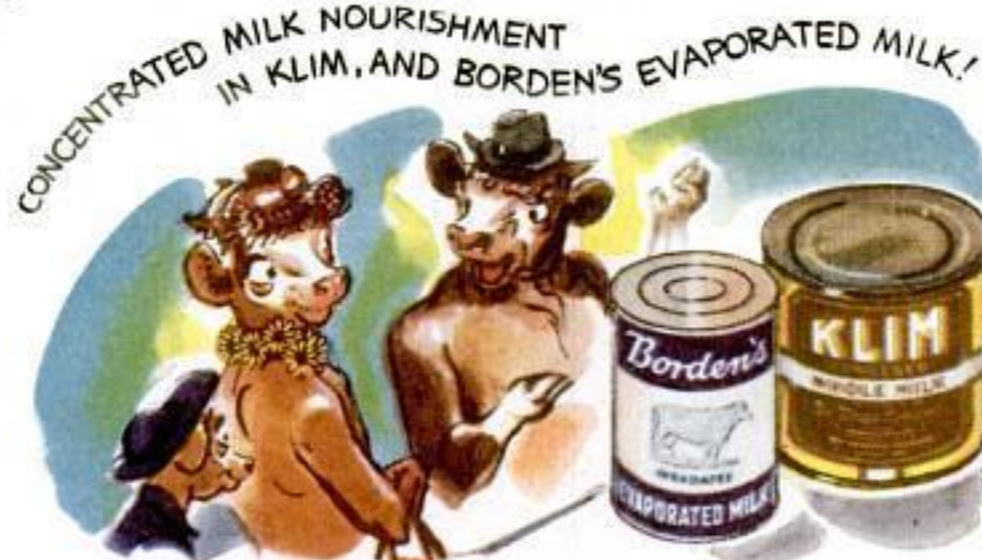
"Well, maybe," grunted Elmer, "but it doesn't make me feel much like laughing about leftovers. I'd rather have something good to eat."



"We get our share of good foods," insisted Elsie. "Take my Borden's Homogenized Vitamin D Milk, for example. We take the finest milk a cow can give, then mix the cream all through it so there's cream in every sip. It tastes better, it's quicker-digesting, and there are 400 units of sunshine Vitamin D in every last quart!"

"Every time you take an example, it turns out to be Borden's Milk," sputtered Elmer. "I tell you there'd be plenty of food for everyone if we didn't ship so much stuff overseas."

"Our Allies overseas," said Elsie quietly, "get less than 10% of our food. That's not so much, but it gives them strength to fight our enemies. The harder they fight by our side, the sooner we'll win. I'm proud to know that our Allies are getting good American food."



such as Borden's Evaporated Milk and powdered milk like Borden's Klim."

"You make everything sound swell," snorted Elmer, "but how much food do we civilians get?"



"Plenty," laughed Elsie. "Another 15% goes to our

Armed Forces, and we civilians get all the rest. That means home folks will get *three quarters* of all the huge amount of food to be produced in this country during the next 12 months. And, thanks to rationing, we'll each get a fair share of such valuable protein foods as Borden's Fine Cheeses. There's nothing like Borden's Cheeses to make leftovers taste like more."

"In that case," hinted Elmer, "it's a pity you didn't try a little of your precious cheese on that so-called meal you served me this evening."

"Gracious," smiled Elsie, "if you'd taken the trouble to taste it, you would have found out that I *did*. I no-



tice you ate the dessert all right. And no wonder. Borden's Ice Cream and Milk Sherbet are not only delicious, they're nutritious dairy foods as well. The boys in our Armed Forces eat lots of ice cream."

"Sometimes I wonder if they don't eat too much," mused Elmer.

"These words come from your stomach and not from your heart," rebuked Elsie. "Our men in uniform deserve the best food available and all the food they need. Would you want it any other way?"

"Well, no, of course I wouldn't," admitted Elmer. "By golly, I'm going right home and eat those leftovers I turned up my nose at when we had dinner."

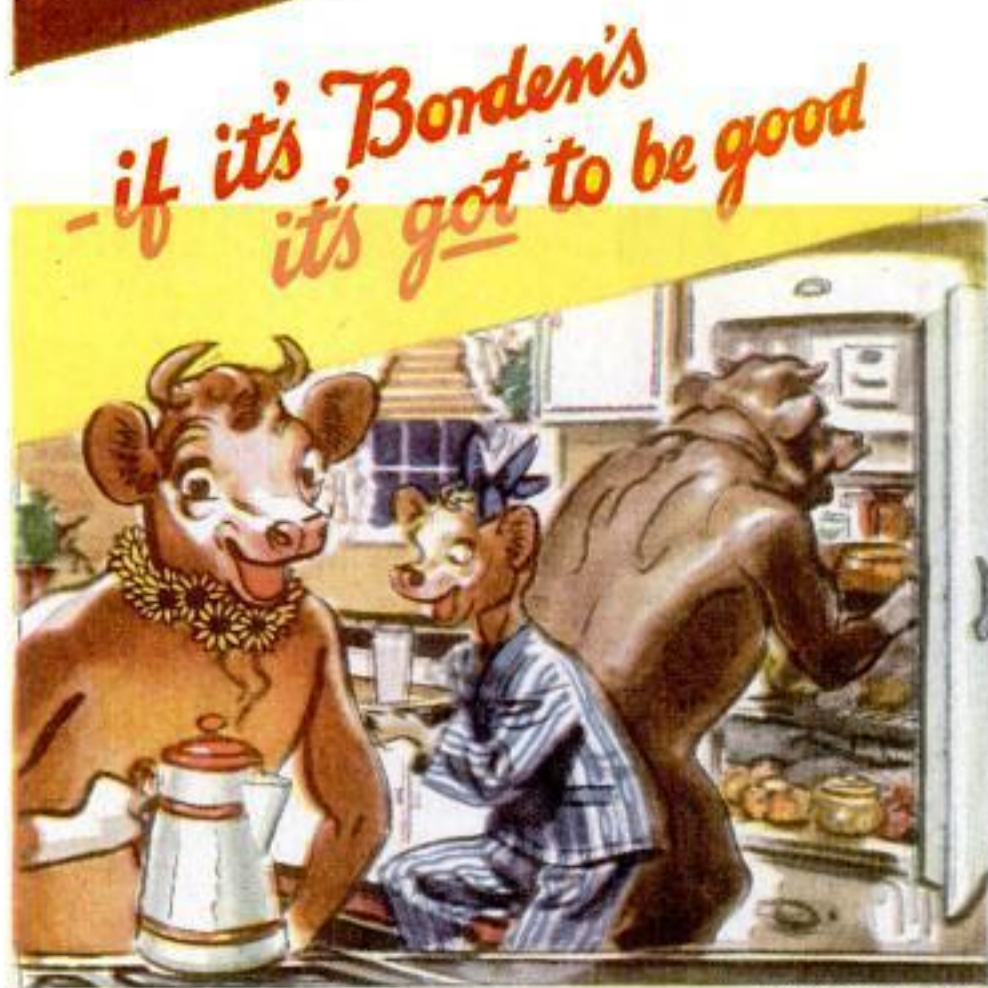
"That's the spirit," approved Elsie. "Hearing you



talk like that perks me up as much as a glass of Borden's Hemo. And scads of people say Hemo—the new way to drink your vitamins and like 'em—is the perkist milk drink they ever smacked a lip over."

"Stop talking or we'll miss our bus," mumbled Elmer, "and, woman, I'm hungry. I can hardly wait to get at the icebox and make Food Fight for Freedom!"

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Almost every morning now a special train pulls into some British town where troops are training for the invasion. General Montgomery comes out of one car, his Rolls Royce comes out of another, and the General is driven out to some open field where several thousand men are lined up at attention. Severe and straight, he walks down the long ranks, then jumps up on a jeep and says into a microphone: "Gather round me." The men break ranks and rush headlong to form a circle around him.

"I have come out here to see you," "Monty" says, "so that I can get a look at you and you get a look at me." He pauses. "Not that I'm much to look at, I guess." The men laugh. Then he tells them what a fine-looking bunch of men they are. He says that the greatest thing an army can have is a feeling of confidence between the commander and his men. He talks a little about the German soldier. ("He's good but he can't think for himself. He has to follow orders.") He says that the second front has already started with the air bombardment of Germany. He finishes on a note of confidence: "I never put an army in action until I know it can win. We're going to give the enemy one hard blow and that will finish him."

The soldiers cheer and shout "Monty! Monty!" as the little General jumps down and speeds away to see more of his troops.

For almost two months now Monty has been traveling up and down, back and forth across the British Isles, talking to the troops he will lead in the great invasion. Soon he will have seen virtually every fighting man in these islands. It is a gigantic process of getting acquainted which has never been matched by any commander of any modern army. By carrying it out Monty has gained a unique hold on his troops. He has also added a new chapter to a military saga which has been building up for nearly two years—the Monty Legend.

It is possible to put a precise date on the beginning of the Monty Legend. It began on Aug.

3, 1942, the day when Monty arrived in Cairo on his way to take command of the Eighth Army. He came with none of the fanfare or build-up that had preceded the earlier commanders of the desert army—Wavell, Wilson, Cunningham, Ritchie, Auchinleck. The only thing the Eighth Army knew about this little Irishman was that he came as second choice. General "Strafer" Gott, the first choice, had been killed in a plane crash on his way to Cairo to take command.

Monty, on the other hand, knew a good deal about the Eighth Army. Twice it had chased the enemy halfway across the western desert, and twice the enemy had turned to drive it back. Now it was spread out across the sands with its back to Cairo digging in for another battle. Behind it the machines of war were arriving in quantities the Eighth had not had before, but the Army was without confidence, trusting neither itself nor its leaders. And Rommel was getting ready to attack.

Monty walked into his headquarters and said to General Auchinleck's chief of staff: "What are you doing?" "Preparing the plans for retreat,

sir," replied the officer. "Tear them up," said Monty and walked out.

He found another officer who was arranging for transport to take the retreating troops east of Cairo. "You have no transport," said Monty. "I have taken it all away for the attack."

Then Monty went out to see the troops. He found some of them digging a trench behind the front lines. "You can stop digging," said Monty. "The Germans aren't going to get this far."

In a few days these stories were known throughout the Eighth Army. The spirit of the Army turned from depression to hope. Then Monty called all his officers together in a meeting. It was in the desert, within easy bombing range of the Germans, and someone suggested that the Germans might hear of the meeting and drop some bombs in it. "Fine," said Monty. "Let them know what manner of men we are."

Monty spoke to his officers. "The enemy is going to attack," he said. "If he attacks within a week, things may be difficult. If he attacks in a fortnight—well—not so bad. If he waits till the next moon, that's fine—fine."

Rommel attacked in a fortnight. The British line held, and seven weeks later Monty launched his own attack at El Alamein. "The battle which is now to begin," he told his army, "will be one of the decisive battles of history. It will be the turning point of the war." But Monty did not bother to watch the first phase of the battle. An hour before the British barrage began he went to bed in his desert caravan. He thought for a while, read a bit of the Bible and then slept soundly. In the morning he arose, calm and fresh, to go out among his men.

The Monty Legend springs from the particular conception which Monty has of a general's function. It is an unusual conception for these times. The typical modern commander in chief likes to compare himself to the head of a huge corporation, sitting at the top of a great administrative



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structure. Monty's conception of his job is more like that of a football coach and even more like that of the great captains in history—Alexander or Hannibal or Caesar.

When a campaign is going on, Monty spends many hours a day visiting his troops. He usually wears his black beret, so that he can be recognized at a glance, and rides alone in the back seat of an open car, answering the cheers and salutes of his men. He stops frequently to chat with his men and ask them "How are you getting along?" "Are you getting your mail all right?" "Have you got any cigarettes?" "Any complaints?"

The back of the car is usually stocked with cigarettes and newspapers. "Seen the paper?" Monty will ask. "Here, take my copy." Or: "Have some cigarettes? My lady friends send them to me." This has truth in it, for nonsmoking Monty several times appealed for cigarettes and Sunday papers from home. The response was so great that one day in Africa it took six trucks to carry the newspapers sent from England.

His solicitude for his troops never flags. Once in the desert he came upon a stock of reconditioned shoes which were to be distributed to an infantry regiment. Monty turned on the commander and said: "I will not have my infantry wearing secondhand shoes. Give them to the transport men if you like. But get my infantry new shoes. By tomorrow," he added.

Monty's way with soldiers was well shown in a brief morning's visit to the American troops of the Fifth Army in Italy. At a river he came upon some engineers struggling to get a girder in place for a bridge. Jumping out of his car, he pushed and tugged at the girder until it was in place. A little farther on he spied a barber cutting a GI's hair. Monty jumped out again, pulled off his beret, explained in detail to the gaping barber how he liked to have his hair cut.

Monty treats his troops as men of intelligence who have a right to know what their job is and whether it is properly planned.

During a campaign Monty likes to drop in on a company and give the men some personal instruction in tactics. Often, in the desert, he would stand among his men and, with the toe of his right boot, diagram the plan for attack in the sand, remarking, "Don't know how I could ever plan a battle without sand." On one such occasion, before the battle of the Mareth Line, Monty had dropped in on a forward post just after a patrol had brought in some German prisoners. As he talked, the prisoners and their guards joined the circle around the General. "Now you," said Monty, looking at one soldier, "you are to go around behind this hill and wait. And you," turning to another, "come around this way—not over here," drawing a line and rubbing it out again, "but near this tree. And you," turning to a third, "you go across this little gully and wait for a signal." The third man looked terrified and managed to stammer in broken English: "But, Herr General, I am German prisoner."

Monty's object is not merely to please his men by giving them cigarettes nor to flatter them by explaining battle tactics. It is to give

them confidence in his leadership, to make them sure of victory. He never lets them forget that their job is to conquer the enemy. When he was ready to attack the Mareth Line, he called together all the noncombatant sections of the army: cooks, barbers, bandsmen, public relations officers, headquarters staff, photographers and the rest. "Tomorrow we are going into battle," he told them. "But you won't be able to go with us. I want only men who can fight the enemy. We don't need food. We don't need any music. We don't need our pictures taken." The men looked crestfallen. A few asked if there weren't some way they could go along. "Ah, yes," said Monty. "That is, if you want to kill Germans like the rest of us." Then, as the men cheered, he ticked them off, group by group: "You cooks, you kill Germans first and then cook meals. You bandsmen, you kill Germans and then play music. You photographers, you kill Germans and then take pictures. And you barbers, you just kill Germans. They won't need any haircuts."

Monty never loses a chance to build up a feeling of comradeship between himself and his men. Just before the invasion of Italy he was addressing a group of his veterans. "We have had great adventures together," he said. "I hope that, wherever I go in the future, I will always have you with me." A groan arose from the men, who felt pretty sure that Monty would always be where the fighting was heaviest. For a moment the General was taken aback. But the next moment he had them with him again. "Ah," he said, "but maybe I shall go home to England."

It is partly in order to be with his men that, when he is in the field, he lives at a special forward headquarters, away from his staff. But it is also to avoid getting tied up in paper work. "I must have time to think," he often says. When he wakes in the morning he thinks for an hour before getting up. Again, after he retires at 10 p. m., he lies and thinks for a while and then reads, before he goes to sleep.

The caravan consists of three trailers, one for working, one for sleeping, one for maps. The first two are well-appointed vehicles originally built for two Italian generals. During the desert campaign Monty had only one decoration on the wall of his sleeping trailer: a picture of Rommel. As he lay in bed he would look at it and ask himself: "What is in the mind of my adversary? What is he planning? How can I outwit him?" He started off with great respect for Rommel but by the end of the campaign felt that he could predict quite accurately how his enemy would react to any move.

A good general never loses

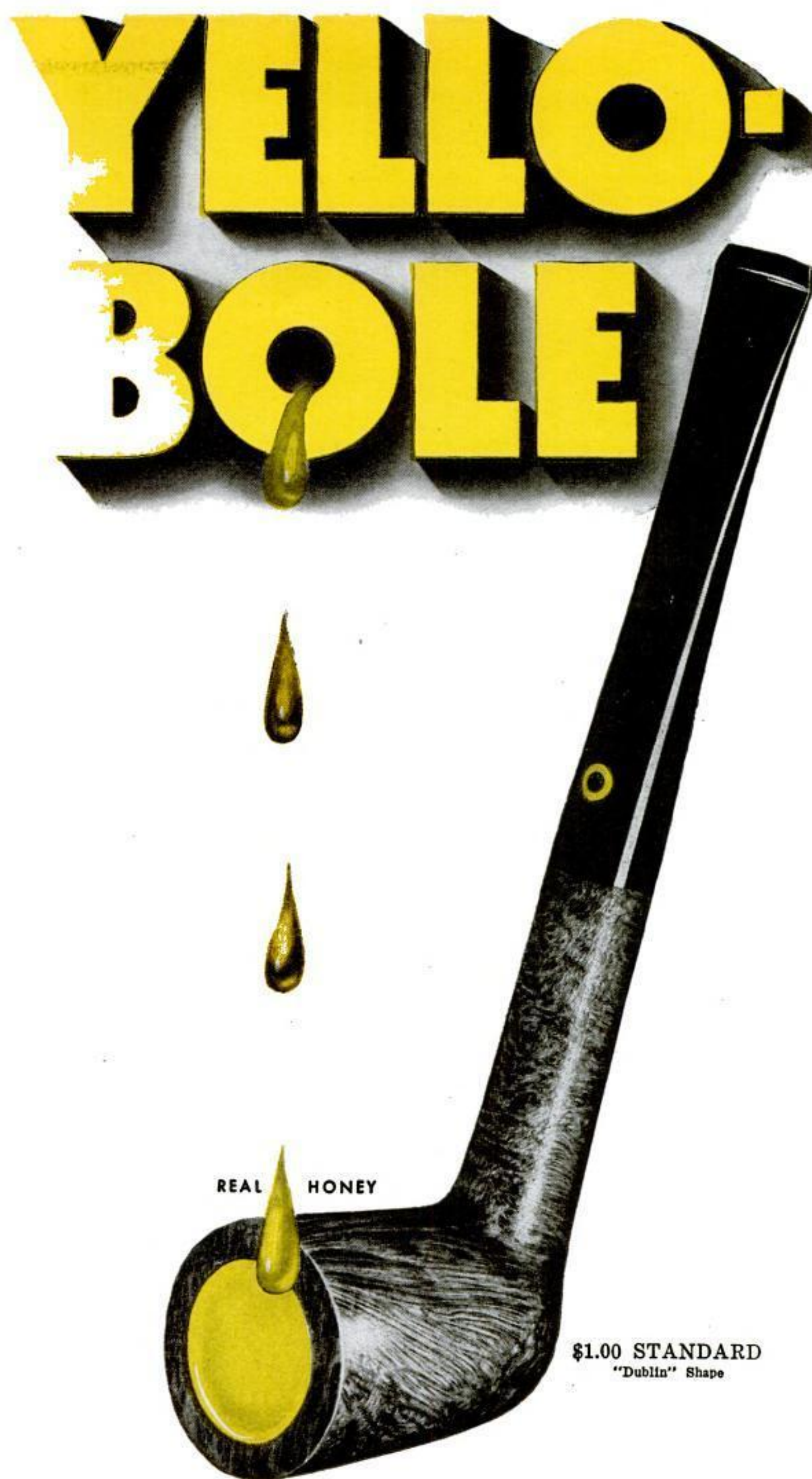
When historians in later years go through the files of the Eighth Army or the allied expeditionary force which Monty is now preparing for the second front, they will find hardly a trace of the commanding general. Since he took command of the Eighth Army he has never signed a paper. "If I want a man to do something," he says, "I must tell him to his face." This works both ways, for he requires his officers to make all their reports verbally. They get their answers verbally and at once. It is they who draw up the written plans and they who sign them.

In planning an action, Monty thinks out his general plan, explains it to his staff officers and then leaves them alone to figure out how it can be done. His chief of staff is Major General Francis W. de Guingand, the same officer whom he told to tear up the plans for retreat when he first arrived in Cairo. His chief of administration is Major General Miles Graham. They are as quiet and unknown as Monty is flamboyant and famous.

A good general, Monty believes, must never lose. For if he is once defeated he does not merely lose a battle, he also loses the confidence of his men, their belief that he will lead them to victory in the next battle. That is why Monty never launches a campaign until he feels reasonably certain of victory. If his staff officers report that they lack the strength to carry out an action, he alters his plan to suit the conditions.

But once a campaign has been launched, he carries it through with boldness. Even in a serious crisis he never allows his officers to see him in doubt or in fear. Perhaps the greatest crisis of the African campaign came when the forward corps of the Eighth Army was at Buerat, ready to start the dash for Tripoli. During this 200-mile move across the desert, the army was to be supplied by ships which were loaded and waiting in Bengasi harbor. The night before the Army was to start, a storm hit Bengasi and broke the ships loose. Word of the disaster was brought to Monty one morning before breakfast by General (then Lieut. Colonel) Graham. "Ships dancing about in the harbor, are they?" mused Monty. "Well, what's the admiral doing? He'd better catch 'em." Then, within a few minutes, Monty and his staff revised their whole plan. The rear corps of the Army was "grounded" and all its transport taken away to supply

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


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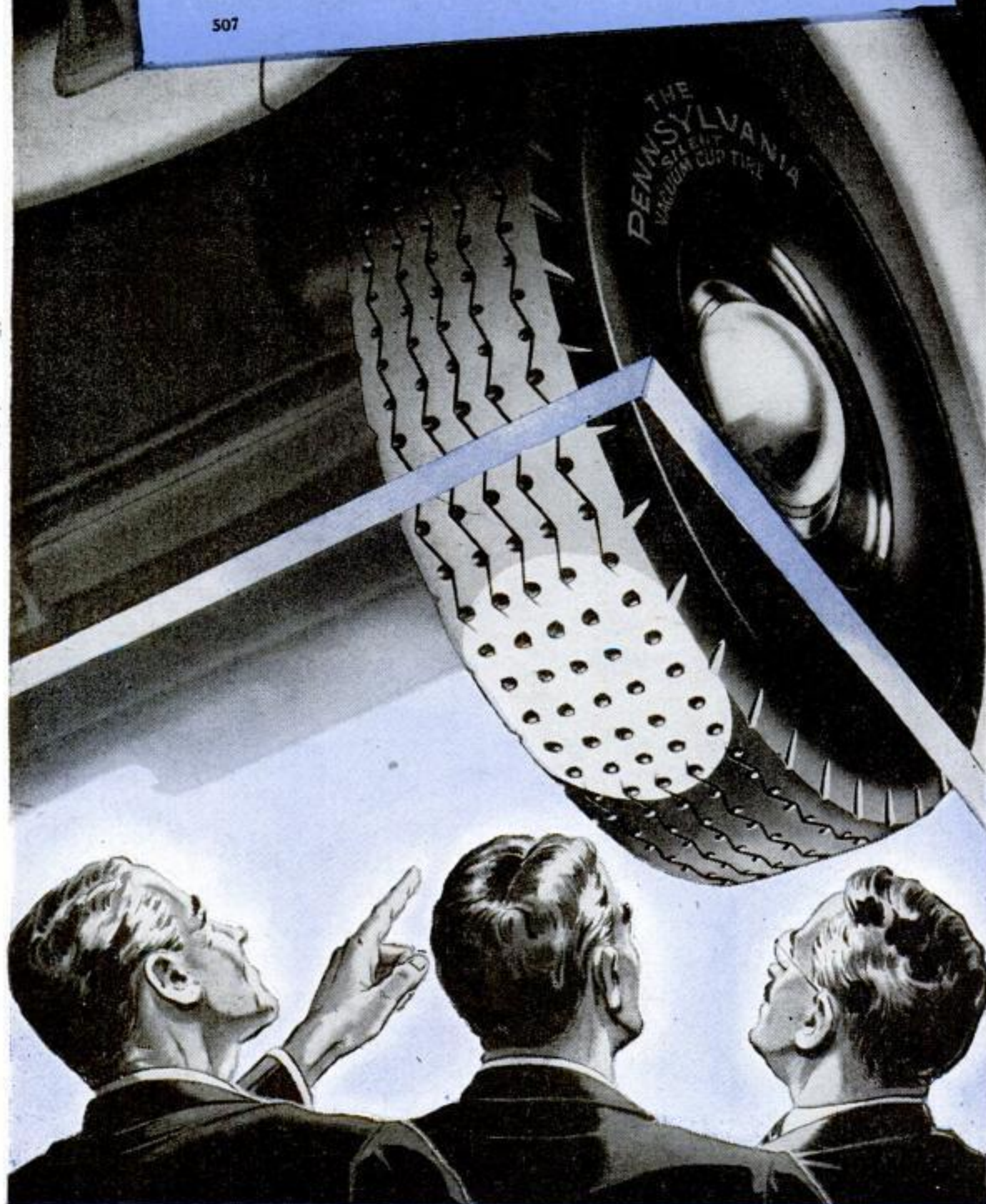
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"MONTY" LEGEND (continued)

the forward corps. All the supplies for the Army were hauled overland and Tripoli was captured 10 days later.

So long as an officer is serving him, Monty gives him absolute confidence. If anything goes wrong Monty demands an immediate explanation and if this is not satisfactory he sacks the officer on the spot. This has happened so frequently that it is something of a joke among correspondents. In Italy one correspondent asked another who had just come back from the front line, how the battle was going. "Right on schedule," was the reply. "The attack began at 7 and at 10 Monty sacked the brigadier." There is little time wasted on such unhappy events. Monty may simply say to an officer who has failed to carry out his mission: "Brigadier, you're good. But you're not good enough." The next morning a plane is waiting to take him back to England.

Monty was once described by Winston Churchill as "a Cromwellian character, austere, severe, accomplished, tireless." He lives in complete simplicity, eats the plainest food and has no recreation except that of reading novels and detective stories. He is often impatient of human frailty.

When he speaks he demands absolute attention from his audience. Often he will start out: "I will give you two minutes to cough, sneeze and blow your noses. After that there will be no interruption." He may close with: "I have made myself perfectly clear. No questions are needed."

He permits no one to smoke in his office or caravan, but this is the result of personal distaste, not moral disapproval. He has even relaxed this ban when the welfare of his troops demanded it. For a long time the only cigarettes available to the Eighth Army were the British "Victory" cigarettes, a particularly foul variety which the men at first refused to smoke. To popularize them, Monty made a practice of singling them out, sniffing appreciatively and saying: "Now, there's one kind of cigaret I like." His staff officers and correspondents lost no time in taking advantage of him. They procured "Victory" packages from the soldiers, filled them with standard-brand cigarettes and blew smoke all around the General. Monty, unaware of the fraud, was compelled to keep on commenting, "Ah, a fine aroma."

He hates fat men

Physical fitness is a passion with him. When he thinks his officers are getting soft, he may order them out for a five-mile run before breakfast. He despises fat men. His tour of divisional headquarters in the British isles was the occasion for a great deal of dieting, exercising and sucking in of stomachs on the part of over-plump officers. He was preceded on this tour by a story that at one camp he caught sight of a fat colonel, tapped him on the stomach and inquired, "Like your food, do you?" "Yes, sir," said the colonel. "Have a good lunch?" "Yes, sir." "That's good, because it will be your last in this mess."

For generals of his own high stratum, relations with Monty are not so fraught with hazard. But these too are likely to involve an element of drama and surprise.

After the Americans landed in North Africa Monty was planning the joint campaign against the Afrika Korps with General Walter B. Smith, General Eisenhower's chief of staff. Monty said he would beat the Americans to Sfax. Smith doubted him. "What will you give me if I do?" asked Monty sagely. "I'll give you a Flying Fortress,"

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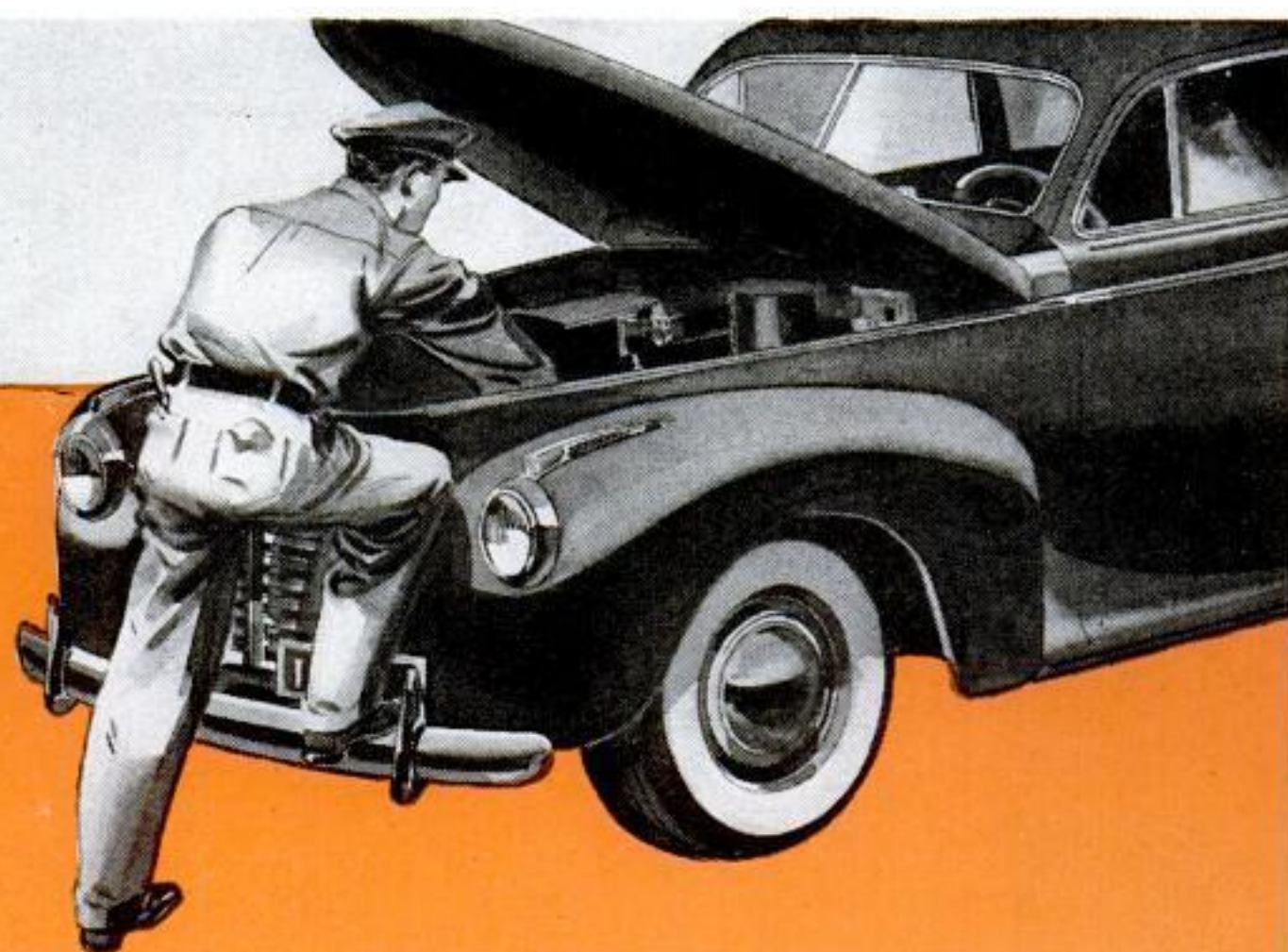
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promptly replied Smith, jokingly. Monty beat the Americans to Sfax and promptly wired General Smith: "Fortress, please." The American chief of staff, considerably embarrassed to find he had been taken seriously, had to explain his plight to Eisenhower, who promptly dispatched to Monty a Flying Fortress, complete with American crew.

Monty used the Fortress for all his flights, often landing and taking off from fields where heavy bombers were never meant to land. It finally came to grief on a field at Palermo in Sicily, described by his pilot as a little larger than a tennis court. The pilot brought it down diagonally, ran the length of the tiny field and then looped it around and came back, avoiding a crackup but wrecking the undercarriage. After this experience Monty turned the plane back to the American air force and got in return a C-47 transport, the Army model of the familiar Douglas DC-3. He still has an American crew, headed by Lieut. Eddie R. Russel of Mississippi.

Even in his plane Monty manages to keep contact with his men. When he spies some troops, he gets his pilot to fly low over them while he stands in the cockpit waving his black beret at the men below. After one such stunt in Italy, the plane was severely reprimanded by Air Vice Marshal Broadhurst for buzzing troops.

His fellow generals are never quite sure what to expect from Monty. When Alexander and Coningham landed in Italy they found Monty waiting alone on the beach to greet them. As they came ashore he bowed low, and said, "Welcome to Italy, gentlemen."

At times Monty has been pretty hard on other generals. During the Sicilian campaign, General MacNaughton, then commander in chief of the Canadian forces, arrived in Africa from England to inspect the Canadian troops in the field. As commanding general of the operation, Monty refused him permission to land in Sicily on the grounds that the troops would be distracted from their job by the ceremony of welcoming their commander. It was, Monty observed, no time for spit and polish. But Andy MacNaughton had his mild revenge for this rebuke. Some weeks later, he found Monty living in a splendid villa overlooking Messina Strait. "Not going soft, Monty?" inquired MacNaughton.

He sent Churchill to bed

Perhaps the only general who ever left Monty speechless, however, was an elderly Italian general. When Italy became a cobelligerent, this general sent a message to Monty saying: "Since I am senior to you in rank, I assume that you will henceforth be under my command."

Perhaps the most prolific single source of the Monty Legend is his relationship with Winston Churchill. Between these two men, the greatest British political personality of his time and the greatest British military personality, there exists a deep mutual respect tempered by the fact that they are completely opposite in makeup. One aspect of the difference was summed up in a conversation they held in the desert. Said Monty: "I don't drink, don't smoke, go to bed at 10 o'clock and am 100% fit." Replied Churchill: "I drink, smoke, never go to bed and am 200% fit."

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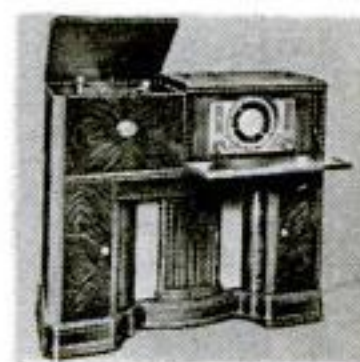
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Monty is the most independent of Churchill's generals. The Prime Minister, as the world knows, is a great student of military strategy and likes nothing better than to plan some military operation, down to the movements of individual battalions. Many British generals find it difficult to reject the Prime Minister's ideas, especially since they know that a pet Churchill scheme will receive all possible support for its success. But Monty will tolerate no interference. If Churchill shows an inclination to go too deeply into a technical military problem, he usually finds that the facts which Monty has given him lead only to the conclusion which Monty has already reached.

Monty is probably the only general who ever refused a Churchill summons. When the Prime Minister asked Monty to meet him at Casablanca in January 1943, Monty replied that he was busy with a battle but would be glad to see Churchill at Tripoli. Churchill went to Tripoli. And Monty is certainly the only general who ever sent the Prime Minister to bed. This occurred at Tripoli in February 1943. Churchill had again traveled to see Monty and was just settling down for a night's talk when Monty announced it was bedtime and left.

It is Mr. Churchill, however, who usually gets in the last word. He is supposed to have described Monty as:

"In defeat, indomitable;
In victory, insufferable."

After the battle of El Alamein word reached London that Monty had entertained the captured German commander, General Von Thoma, at dinner and had refought the battle with him on the tablecloth. Certain sticklers for military protocol protested to Churchill that this was no way to treat a prisoner.

Yet it is Churchill who has always supported Monty against all critics. His true opinion of Monty was shown on another occasion when some stiff-necked Britons protested at the flashy array of badges on Monty's beret—a breach of military regulations. "If I thought," said Churchill, "that badges would make my other generals as good as Monty, I would order them all to wear badges."

The Monty Legend is a great asset to the General. It precedes him now wherever he goes and makes it easy for him to establish that feeling of personal comradeship with his men which is so rare in a huge modern army. Monty adds to the Legend all the time. It is not simply that he likes the glare of publicity, though no one could say that he dislikes it. But he wants his men to believe that he will lead them to victory. His methods have paid off, for Monty is held by his troops in a personal esteem amounting to heroworship which is unmatched in this war. In the great invasion of Europe that confidence will be a priceless asset to the allied cause.

Monty seldom thinks beyond the war but on one occasion he became philosophical. It was shortly after he had taken command of the Eighth Army. He spoke of the fleeting quality of military glory—how cruelly a general is cast aside if he fails, how quickly the people forget his victories. Another general tried to cheer him up: "Don't take such a dim view of things, Monty. You have everything ahead of you."

"Oh," said Monty, "I wasn't thinking of myself. I was thinking of Rommel."

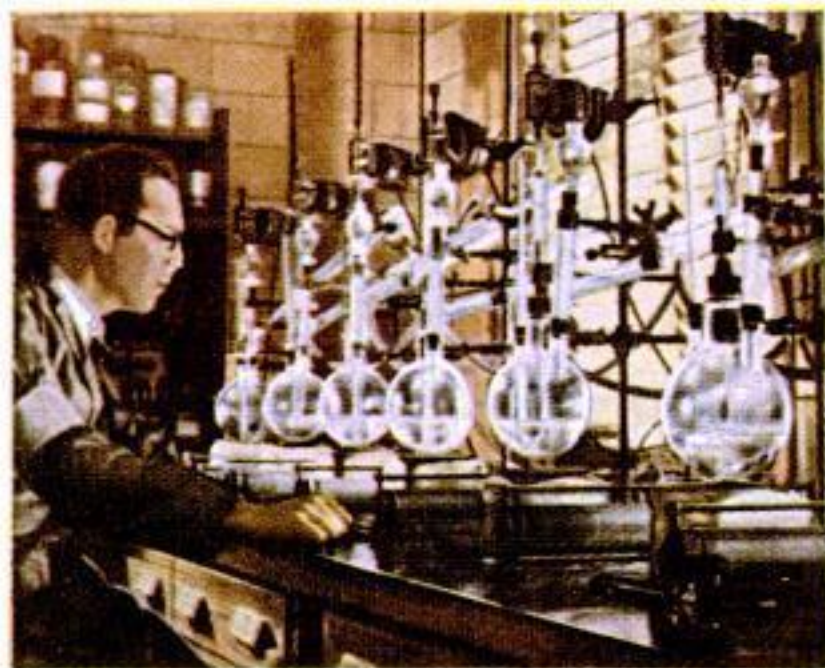


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HIGH-SCHOOL FADS

THE EVER-CHANGING FASHIONS AND LANGUAGE OF YOUTH INDICATE A HEALTHY SPIRIT OF REBELLION

U. S. high-school kids always baffle their elders. No sooner does a grown-up get accustomed to curious high-school fashions and talk than the styles undergo changes and the language finds new involved ways of saying simple things. Though this bothers grown-ups, it pleases psychologists who say it is a healthy sign of youth's dissatisfaction with things as they are.

To report on 1944's high-school fashions and idioms, *LIFE* visited schools in nine states. Among girls it found 1) the craze for wearing men's clothing—shirts, bow ties, sweaters and jackets—is spreading, 2) white bobby socks have replaced colored anklets, 3) moccasin-type shoes ("loafers") are being worn in place of the no longer available saddle oxford. The

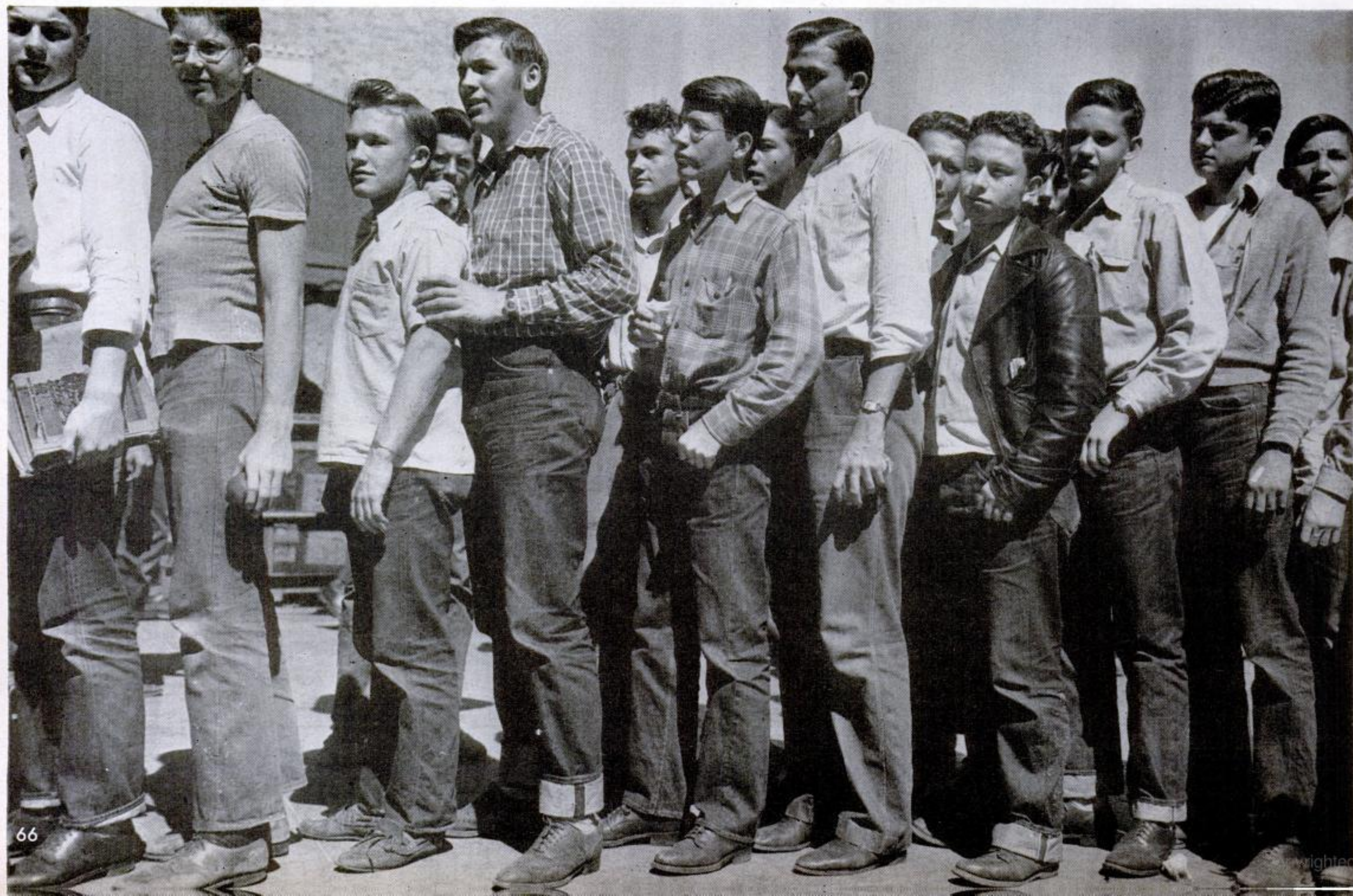
only radical fad among boys is their deliberately sloppy way of wearing short shirts outside their pants.

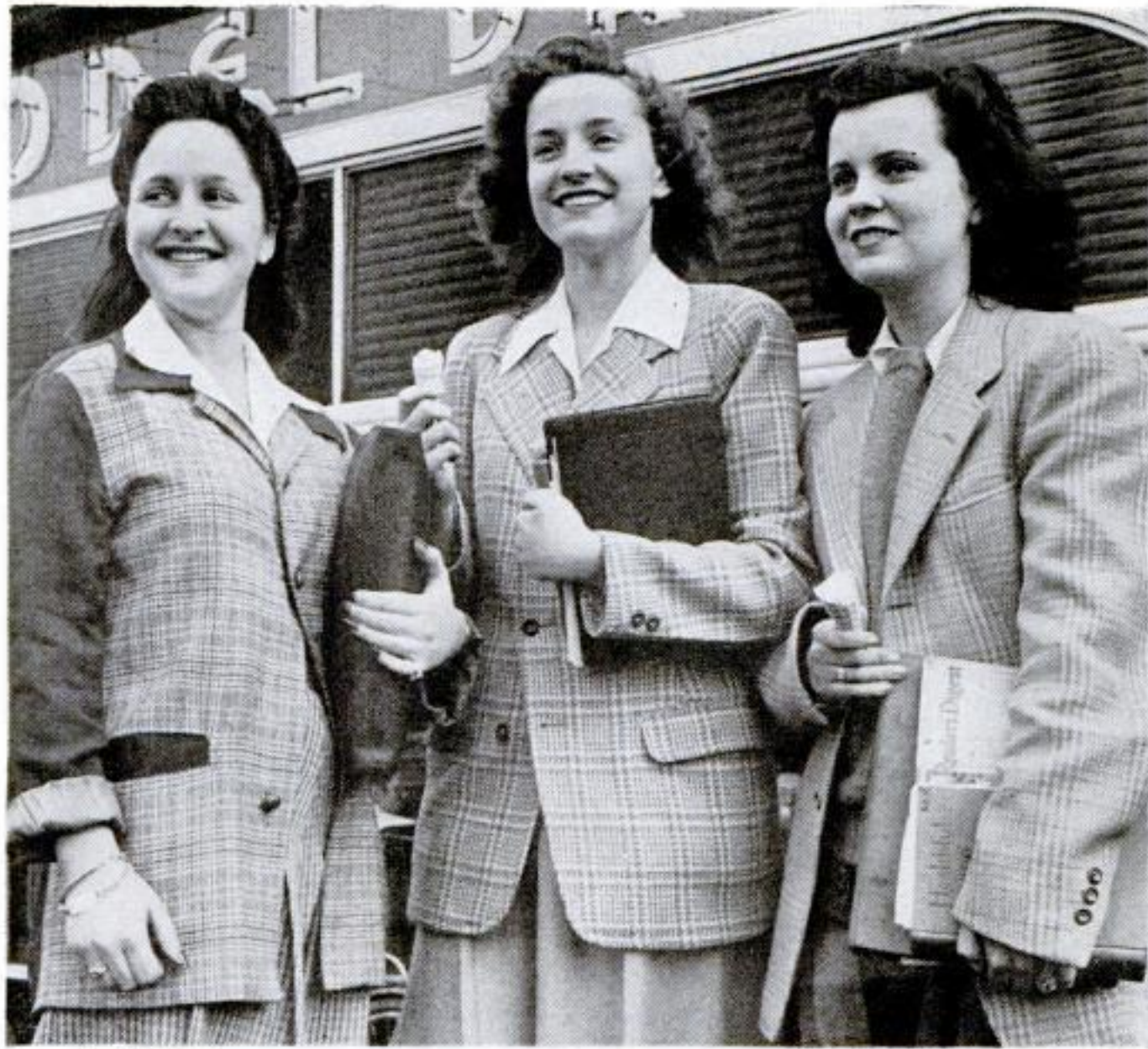
Both boys and girls speak an ever-changing language. They now understand that a drip is a "bag," that a "passion issue" is a letter to a boy, that to "beat feet" means time to leave and that Kay Kyser's imitation of a twanging spring is the new wolf cry.



At Southwest High School, Kansas City, pace-setter is the girl in knee pants and suspenders. The pig-tailed girl wears a boy's shirt and bow tie. Note fluffy Angora bobby socks at right.

At Tucson Senior High School blue jeans ("levis") or corduroys, rolled at bottom, are worn by almost all boys. Short-tailed shirts may be worn out of pants, long-tailed ones tucked in.





Opportunist fad is sported by the girls at Atherton High School in Louisville, Ky., who consider it "Sinatra" (wonderful) to wear discarded jackets of boys in service.



Traditional garb of all school girls is "Sloppy Joe" sweater, single string of pearls, pleated skirt, socks and shoes worn by these misses at Highland Park H. S., Texas.



Eccentric fashion is one adopted by the "slick chicks" at Sequoia Union High, Redwood City, Calif. It includes men's shirts worn loose, rolled-up blue jeans, no socks.

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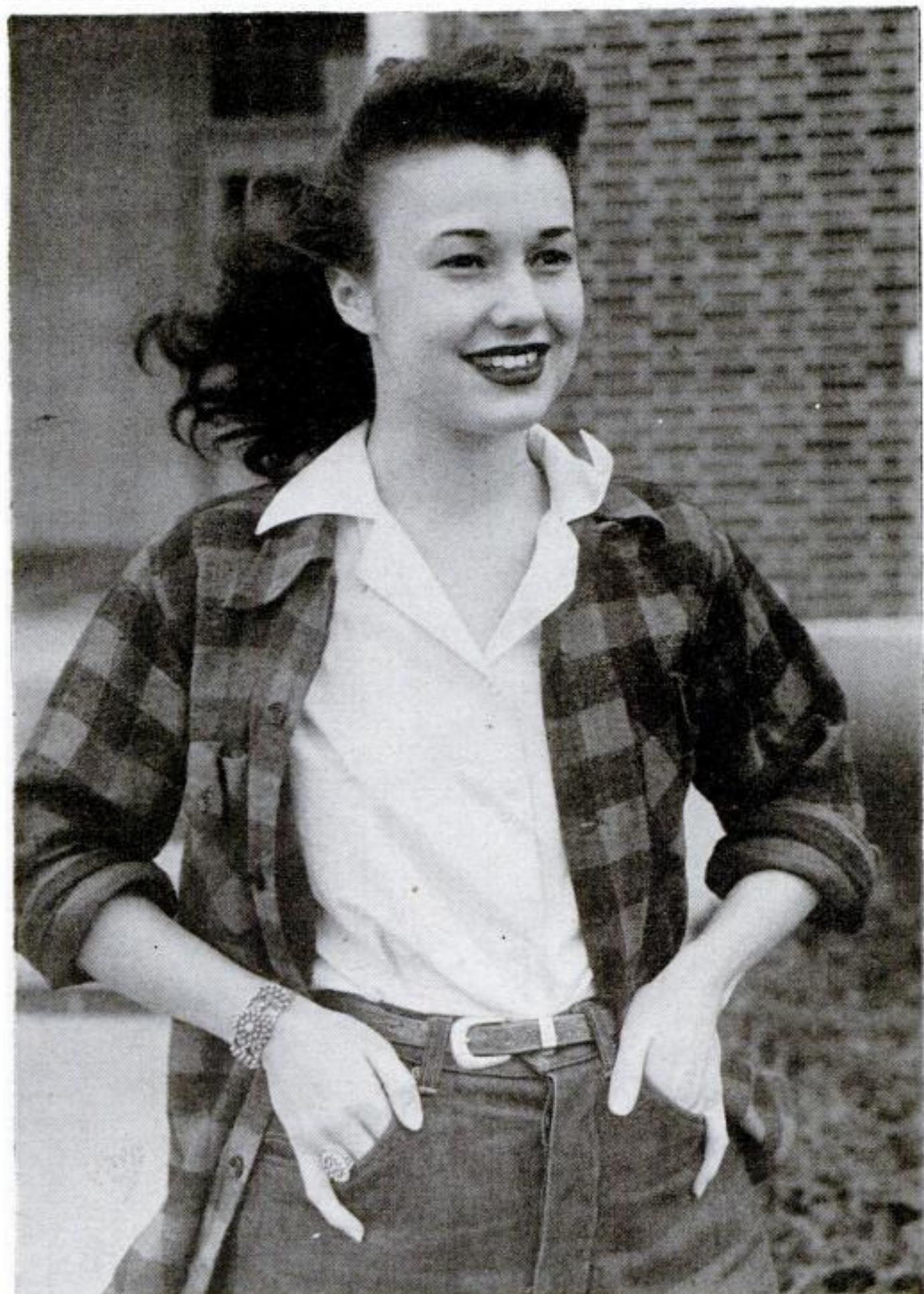


Quantities of Indian jewelry—bracelets, rings, hair clasps—are worn with “slick-up clothes” by every high-school miss in Tucson who isn’t “absolutely poverty-stricken.” Large hair clasps

of silver and turquoise (like one on girl at left, bottom) cost \$10. A “gow job” (flashy girl) wears at least two. A girl with less than two bracelets feels like “a homely” or a “shot cookie.”



Identification bands, gifts from boys, are worn as bracelets. The many tags on Marguerite Brooking of Southwest High School, Kansas City, testify to her popularity.



Silver buckles on tooled belts are prized by high-school girls throughout the Southwest. Martha Croley of Dallas wears hers with blue jeans and two mannish shirts.

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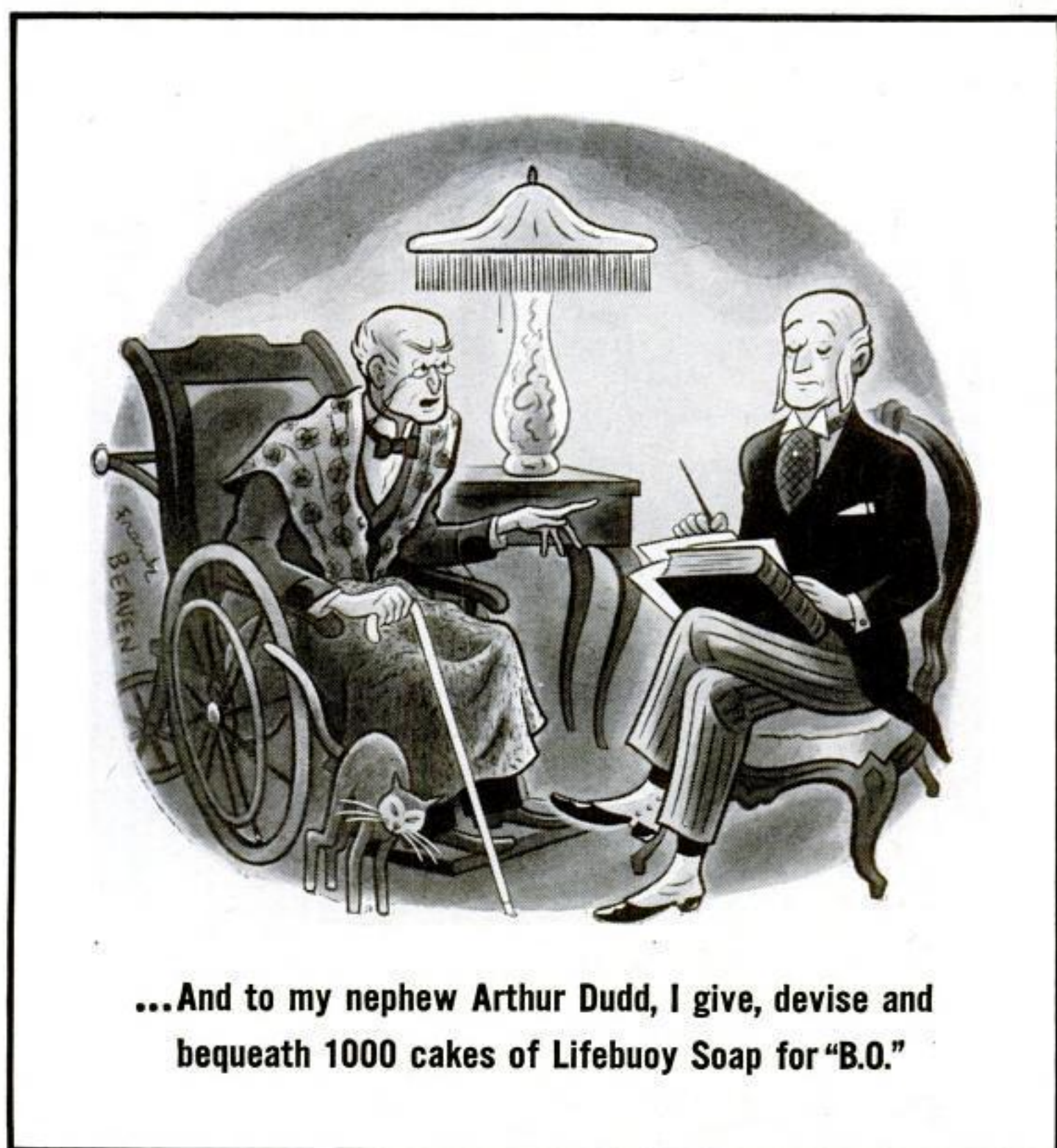
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High-School Fads (continued)



Bow on the top of her head means that Ann Mitchell is "out to get herself a man."



Bow worn in back means that Betty Dupree is "not interested in men."

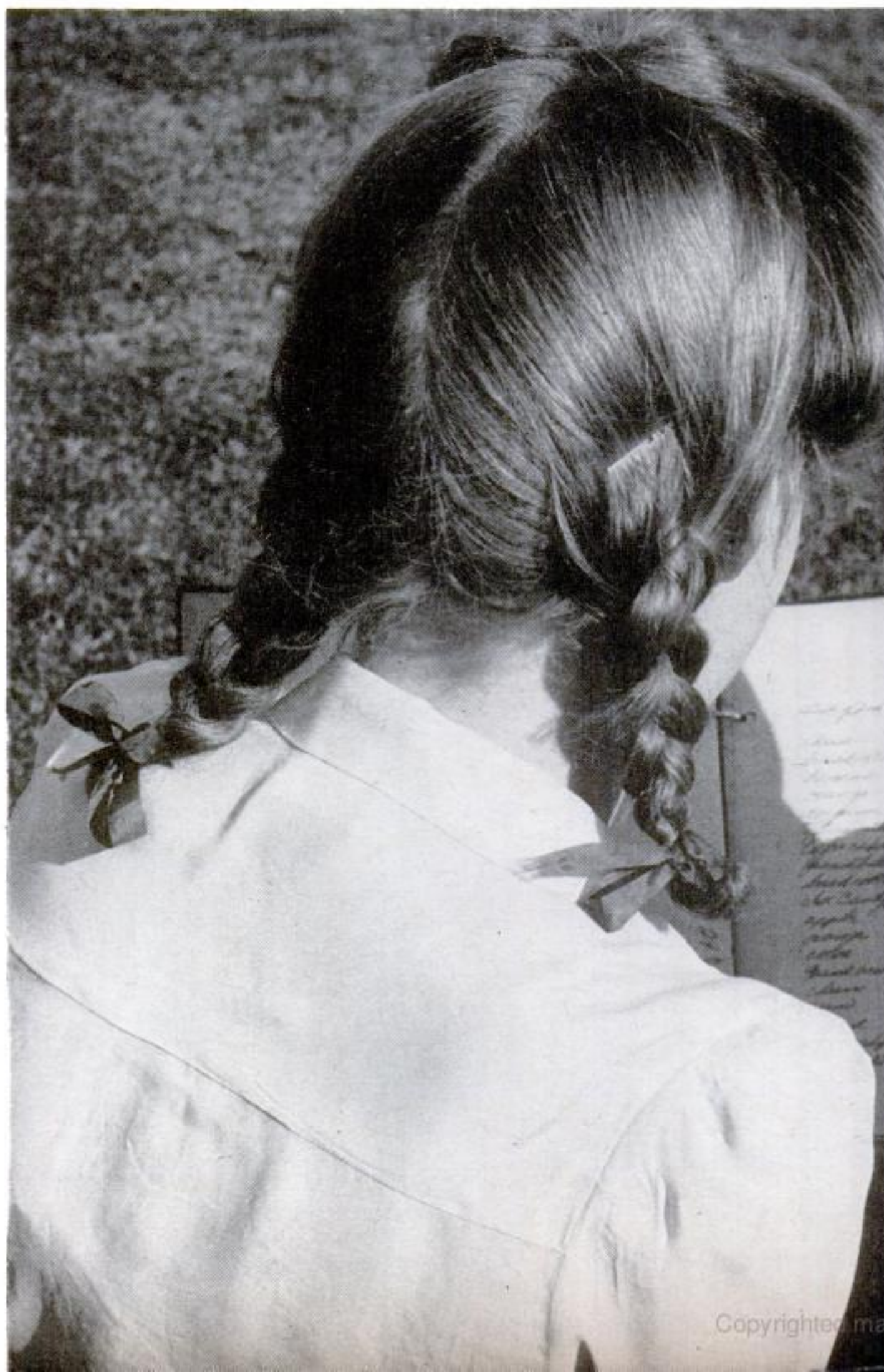
GIRL'S HAIR-DO REVEALS LOVE LIFE

To high-school girls hair-dos are a great medium for self-expression. The teen-agers have no traffic with beauty parlors. They wash and cut their own and each other's hair, thinking up their own styles and original ornaments as they go. Today girls' heads are fair territory for shoelaces, dish towels, cellophane bows, colored soda straws, lacy paper doilies, Christmas-tree ornaments, bells, cowboy kerchiefs and strips of bright colored felt. The simple hair ribbon has become a weapon in the battle of the sexes.

In Louisville the color of the ribbon is significant. A yellow ribbon is the symbol of a man-hater. A white ribbon is a signal to the boys to lay off because the wearer is someone else's "witch" (best girl). At Highland Park H. S. in Dallas, Texas, position of the ribbon is revealing (*see strip at top*).

Boys at the same high school last fall contributed the first innovation in boys' hair styles since the crew cut. Players on the football team started a fad of hair-dyeing. Some bleached their hair so that it showed streaks of white. Others changed from their natural color to a bright red. A daring few burst forth in mops of poisonous green. By now this fad has abated.

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Bow worn on the right side indicates that Becky Brown is deeply in love.

Bow worn at left is a signal and challenge. It means Betty Chaney is "going steady."



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Thomas Eakins posed in Philadelphia for this picture by his wife when he was 45, five years after he was married. A realistic painter like her husband, Mrs. Ea-

kins shows him as serious, rugged, outdoor man. Eakins once lost a lady's portrait commission because he received her in his undershirt and not in a smock.

THOMAS EAKINS

Philadelphians who snubbed him now honor him as an American Old Master

On the afternoon of April 8 Philadelphians milled about the spacious galleries of the Philadelphia Museum and looked with admiration and pride at 113 paintings and drawings by their own Thomas Eakins, who had been born in Philadelphia 100 years ago. It was the opening day of the biggest show ever held of Eakins' work and it was put on to honor him as one of America's greatest painters. Some of these paintings are reproduced on the following pages.

Among the spectators pointing with pride at Eakins' work were descendants of Philadelphians who, in the 1880s, had snubbed Eakins and gossiped about him so much that he was forced to give up his art-teaching job at the Pennsylvania Academy, which was then controlled by the "leading citizens" of Philadelphia. They objected mostly to Eakins' use of living models in his art classes. They did not mind too much when he brought a live horse into the classroom to teach students the anatomy of a horse. They did mind, however, when he brought human bodies into the classroom and made the students spend long hours dissecting the cadavers. Greatest howl of protest came from parents of girl students. The howl grew into an uproar when Eakins at the Academy one day, during an anatomy lesson on the human pelvis, removed the loincloth from a male model. Eakins was forced to resign.

Strangely, except for his scientific curiosity, Eakins himself cared little for painting nudes and in all his career he painted only the one subject on the opposite page. He preferred, instead, to do portraits, and even his sporting pictures, like the one below, included careful portrait studies of his friends. Yet here too he failed to win appreciation of fellow Philadelphians, who complained that his portraits were too realistic and not so flattering as those of other contemporary artists. He gave away many of his portraits to the sitters who accepted them skeptically. Today some of these are worth \$16,000, and some of bigger canvases are worth as much as \$75,000.



"Max Schmitt in a Single Scull" portrays Eakins' friend in foreground with artist himself in center background at his favorite sport—sculling on the Schuylkill River. Eakins gave pic-

ture to Max Schmitt whose widow later sold it to Mrs. Eakins. Now it is one of Eakins' most famous canvases and is owned by the Metropolitan Museum, which bought it in 1934.



"William Rush Carving his Allegorical Figure of the Schuylkill River," though chaperoned by woman knitting, shocked Philadelphians in 1809 because sculptor used as model Miss Louisa Vanuxem, daughter of a local merchant. Eakins recreated scene on canvas in 1877.

"Shad Fishing at Gloucester, N. J. on Delaware River" is watched by group of curious spectators on the beach. Among them are Eakins' brother Benjamin, and his sister standing beside their dog Harry. The fishermen on flat scow and in the water are paying out the net.

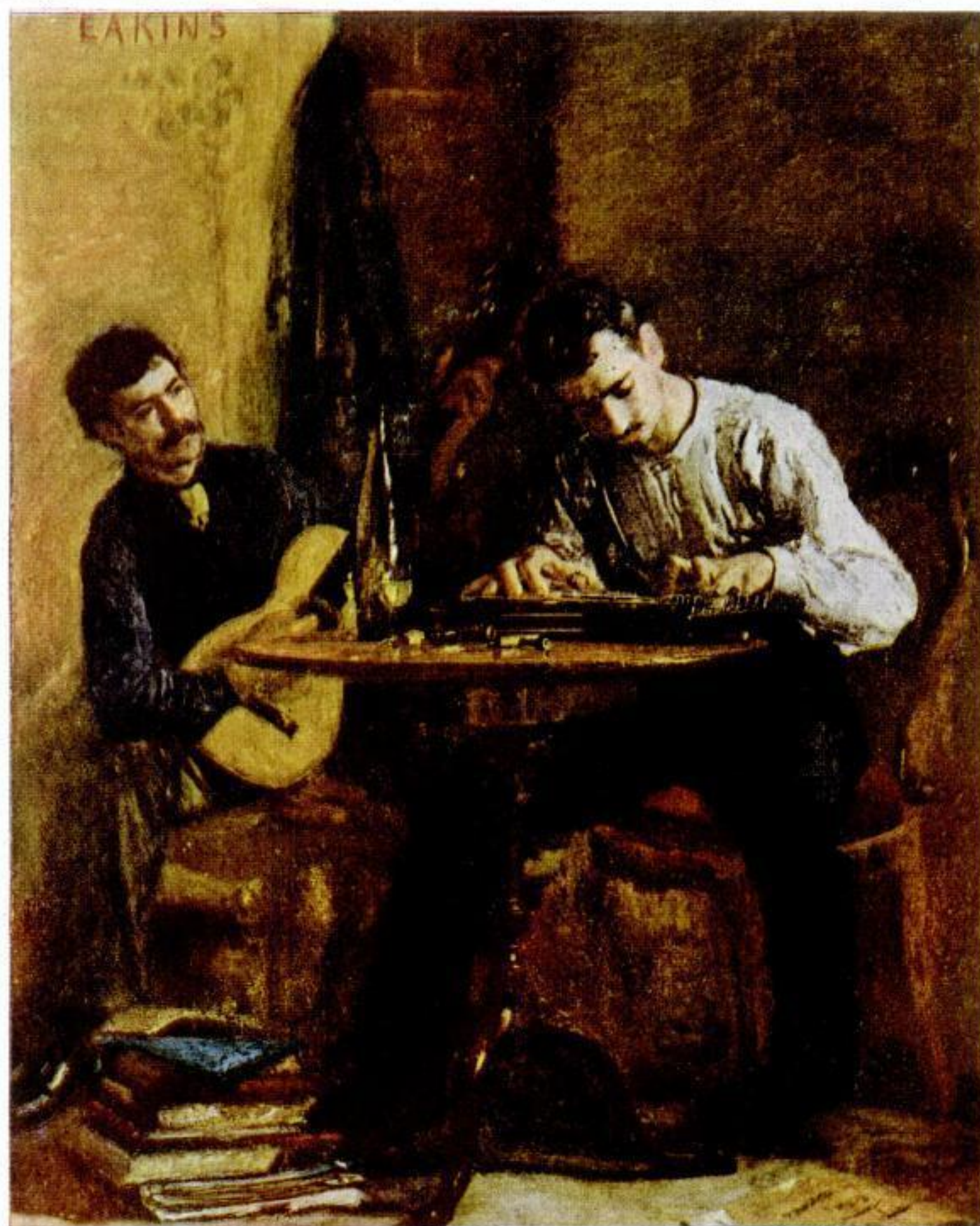




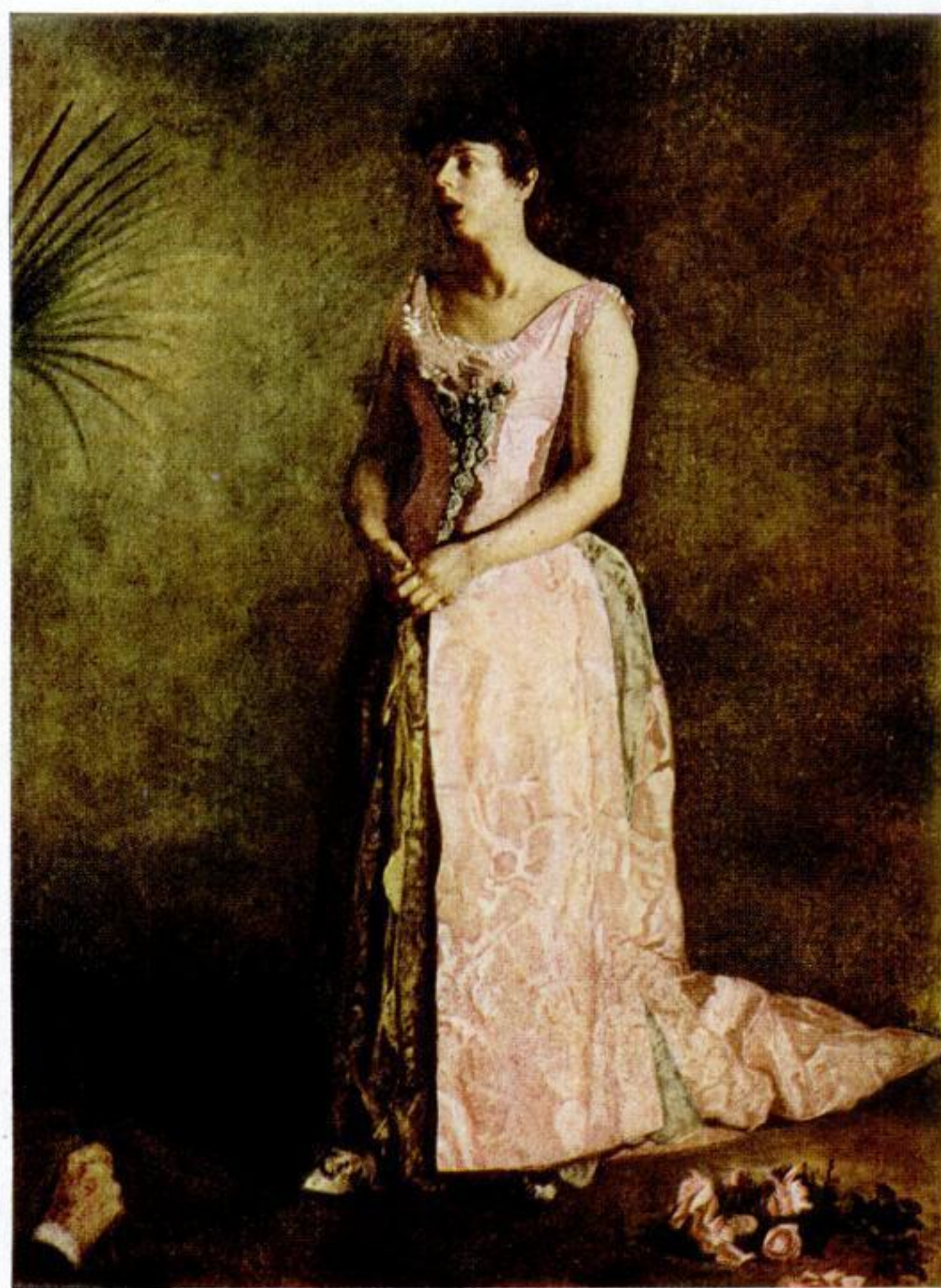
"The Fairman Rogers Four-in-Hand" is driven by Fairman Rogers himself. Beside the famous engineer and art patron

is his wife. Except for two grooms on the rear seat, others are also prominent Philadelphians who just came along for the

ride. Because Mr. Rogers was so proud of his four-in-hand, one of first in Philadelphia, he had Eakins paint it for \$500.



"Professionals at Rehearsal," with bottle of wine between them, were guitar- and zither-player friends of Thomas Eakins. The man with guitar also studied art and later gave anatomy lessons.



"The Concert Singer," Weda Cook, was also a composer who died in Philadelphia in 1937. A friend of Walt Whitman, she wrote the music for his *O Captain! My Captain!*



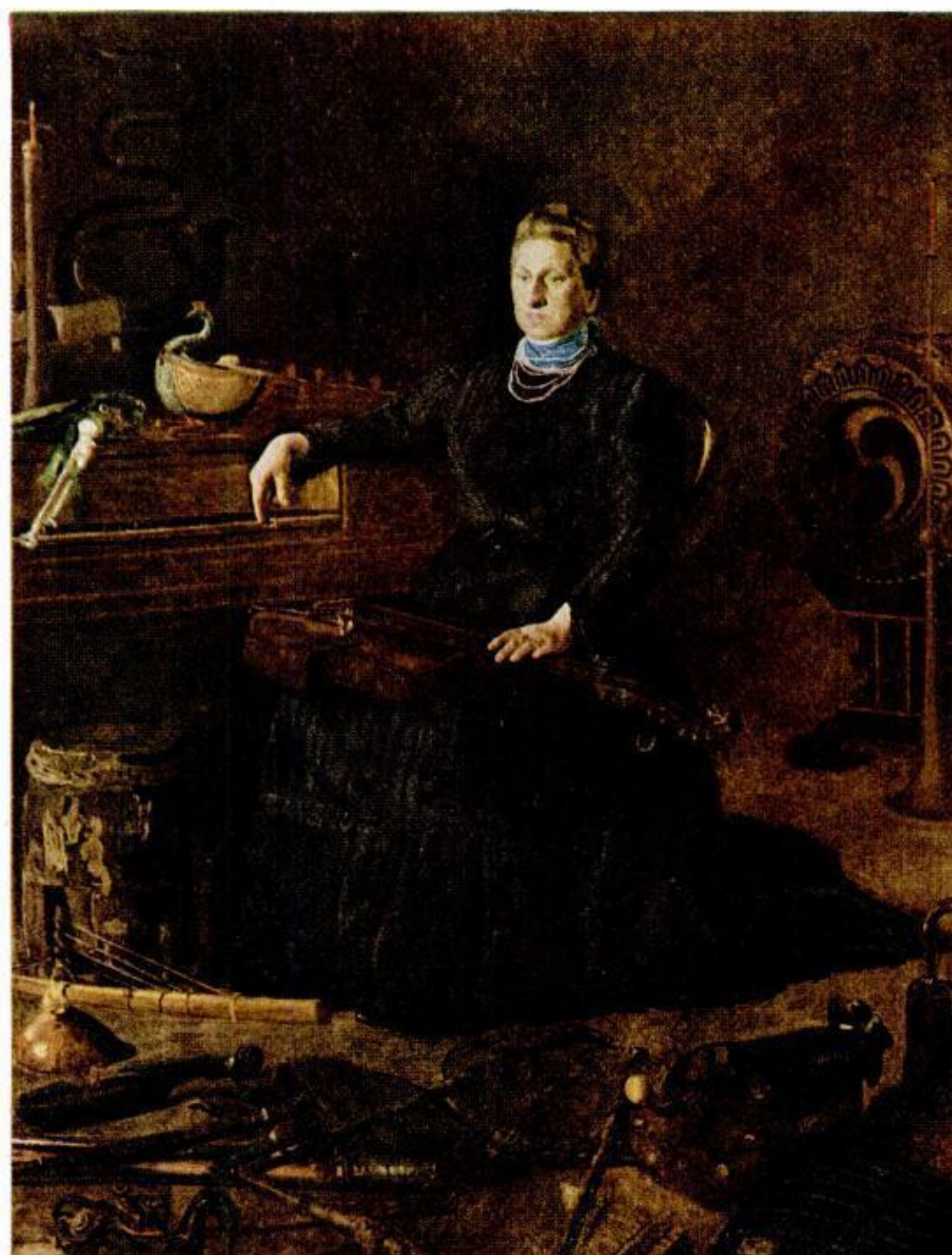
"The Agnew Clinic" started out as a portrait of the famous surgeon Dr. D. Hayes Agnew, who is shown with a scalpel in

his hand at left. The picture was commissioned by University of Pennsylvania medical students for \$750. But Thomas

Eakins became so interested that he painted an entire cancer operation, with portraits of student spectators thrown in.



"The 'Cello Player'" is Rudolph Hennig, a famous musician in the 1870s. In 1897, a year after he painted it, Thomas Eakins sold the canvas for \$500, then gave Mr. Hennig \$250 for posing.



"Mrs. William D. Frishmuth" of Philadelphia sat for her portrait in 1900 amid a serpent, an oriental oboe, a hurdy-gurdy and other strange musical instruments which she collected.

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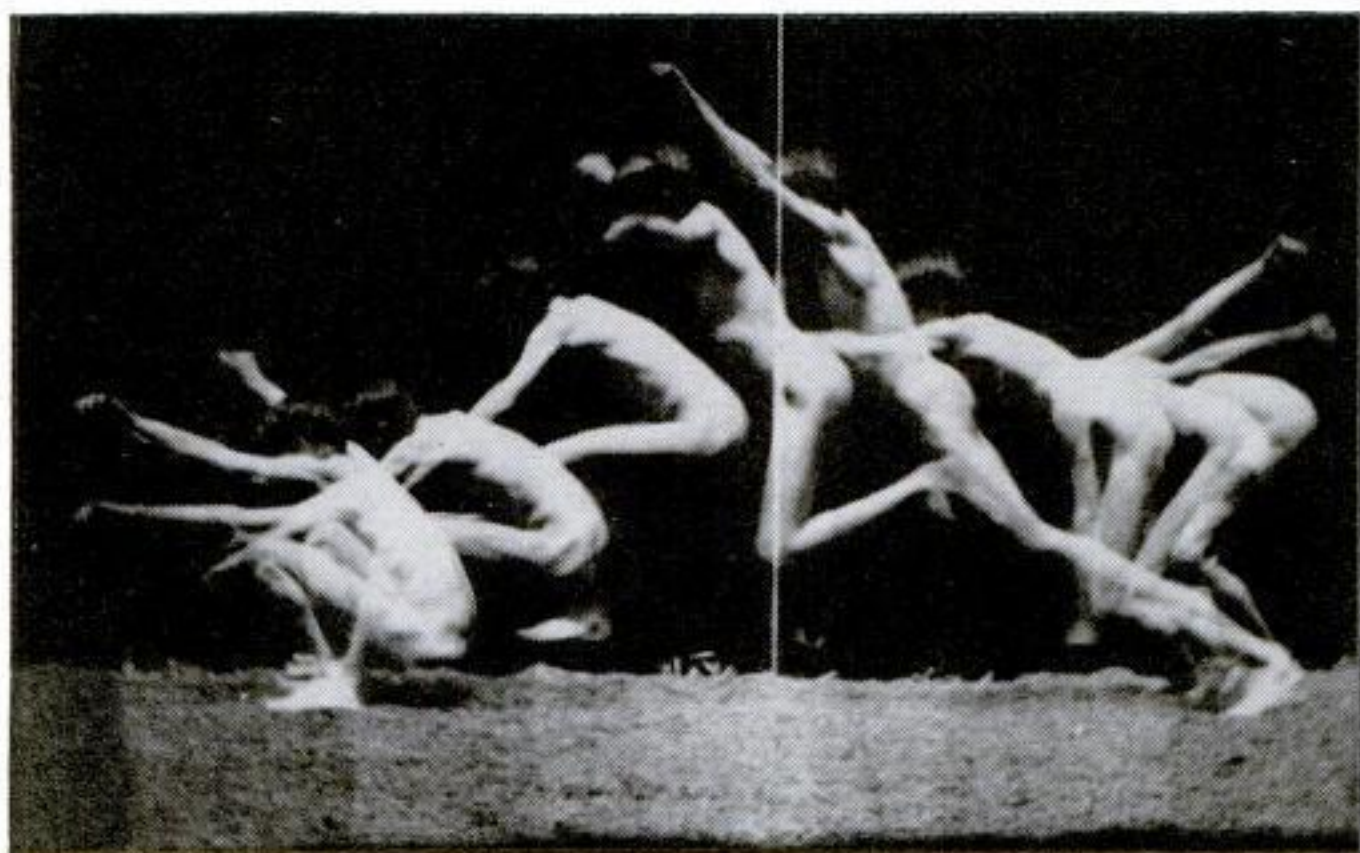
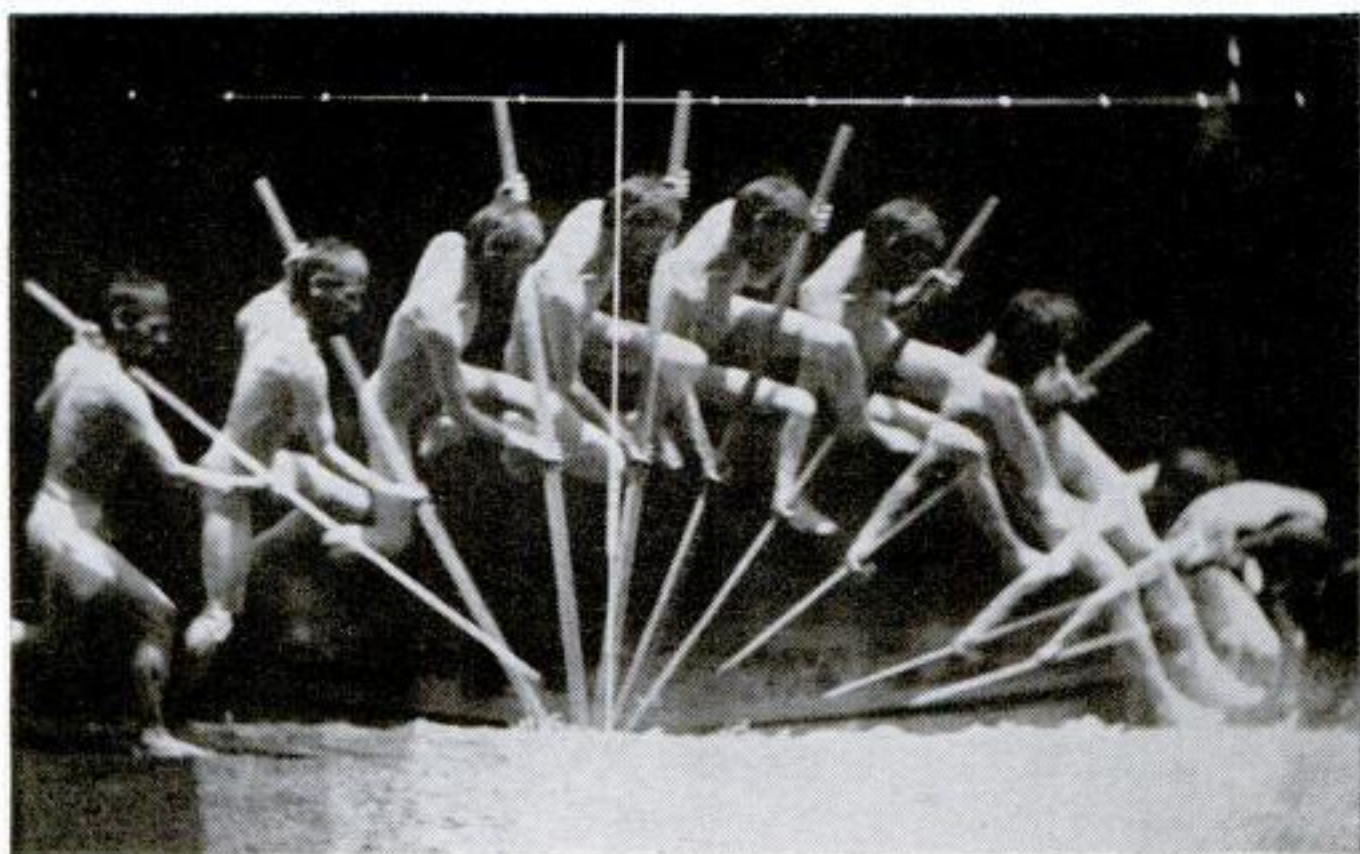
"Between Rounds" a prize fighter named Billy Smith is fanned with a towel by his second. One of the first great fight canvases in the history of U. S. art, this painting and others like

it by Eakins influenced oncoming American artists like George Bellows. While watching a match Eakins became so engrossed that he himself went through all the pugilists' motions.

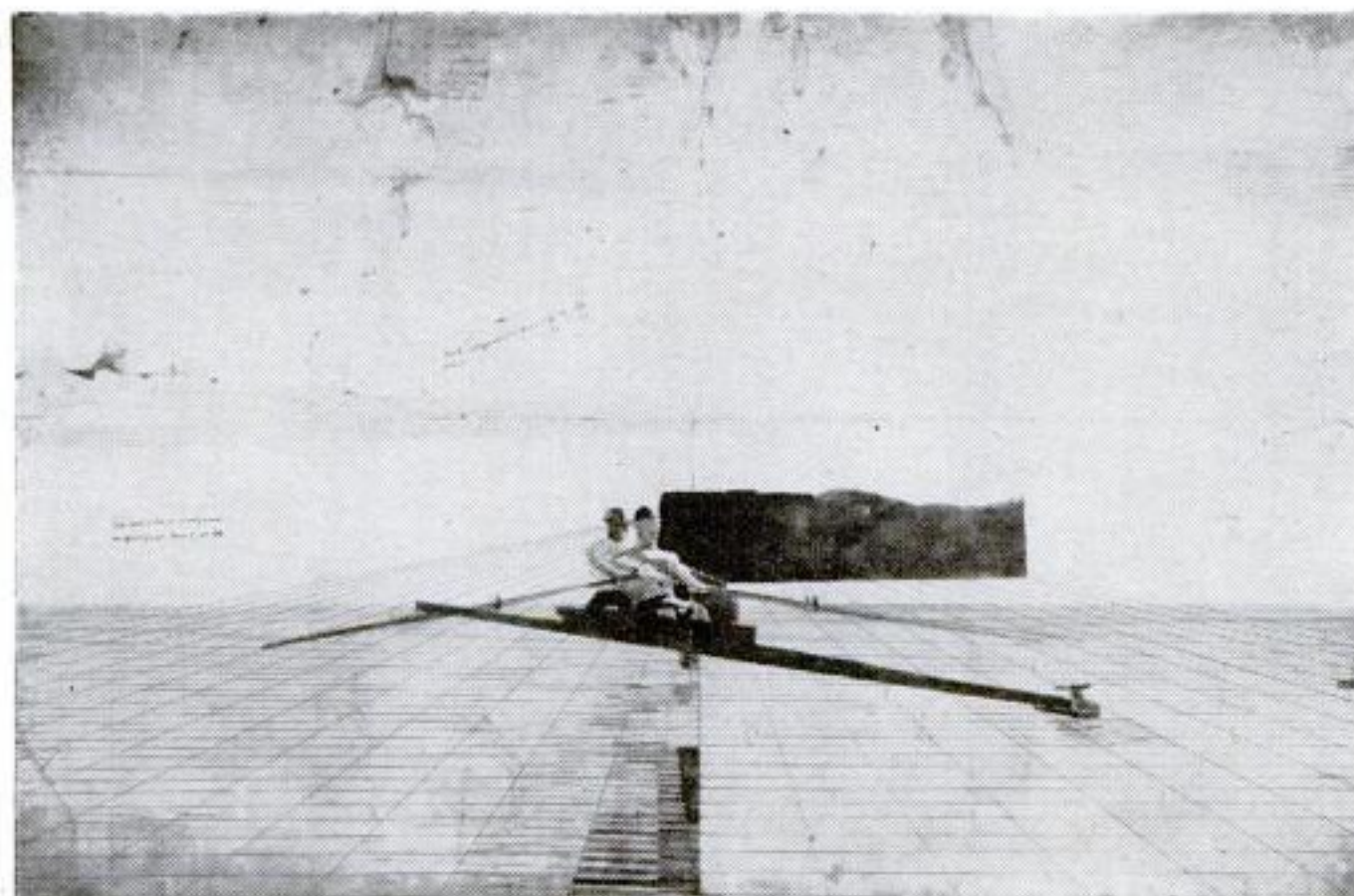
HE MADE HIS OWN FIRST MOVIE CAMERA

In 1884 when Eadweard Muybridge set up a \$30,000 laboratory at the University of Pennsylvania to develop experiments on the first movie camera, nine men were appointed to help him. One of these was Artist Thomas Eakins, who was himself a camera enthusiast. After tinkering with Muybridge's experiment for a while, which involved 24 cameras that were to take 24 separate photographs of a moving figure, Eakins decided to make experiments on his own. He made a single camera and with it took the pictures below which Muybridge was trying to take with 24 cameras. These pictures by Eakins are probably the first "moving" pictures ever taken. He then turned over all his experiments to Muybridge, who later developed them further. Thus Muybridge, rather than Eakins, was credited with developing the first stages of the moving-picture camera.

Eakins' scientific curiosity was reflected in his art. To learn all about anatomy before painting figures, he studied surgery and could have qualified as a surgeon, and he studied mathematics to learn perspective (bottom).



First "moving" pictures were taken by Thomas Eakins with a single homemade camera which he made with two disks cut from circular-saw blades. These blades had four radially cut openings. The lens was exposed by an electric shutter. Eakins then turned disks with a hand crank, letting the succession of figures fall upon negative.



Perspective drawing was the first step in Eakins' paintings of men skulling (page 72). After studying mathematics, Eakins planned such pictures as a draftsman would, and his mechanical drawings showed the exact way the long shell would float on the water and the exact position of the oars. Ruled lines indicate the vanishing point.

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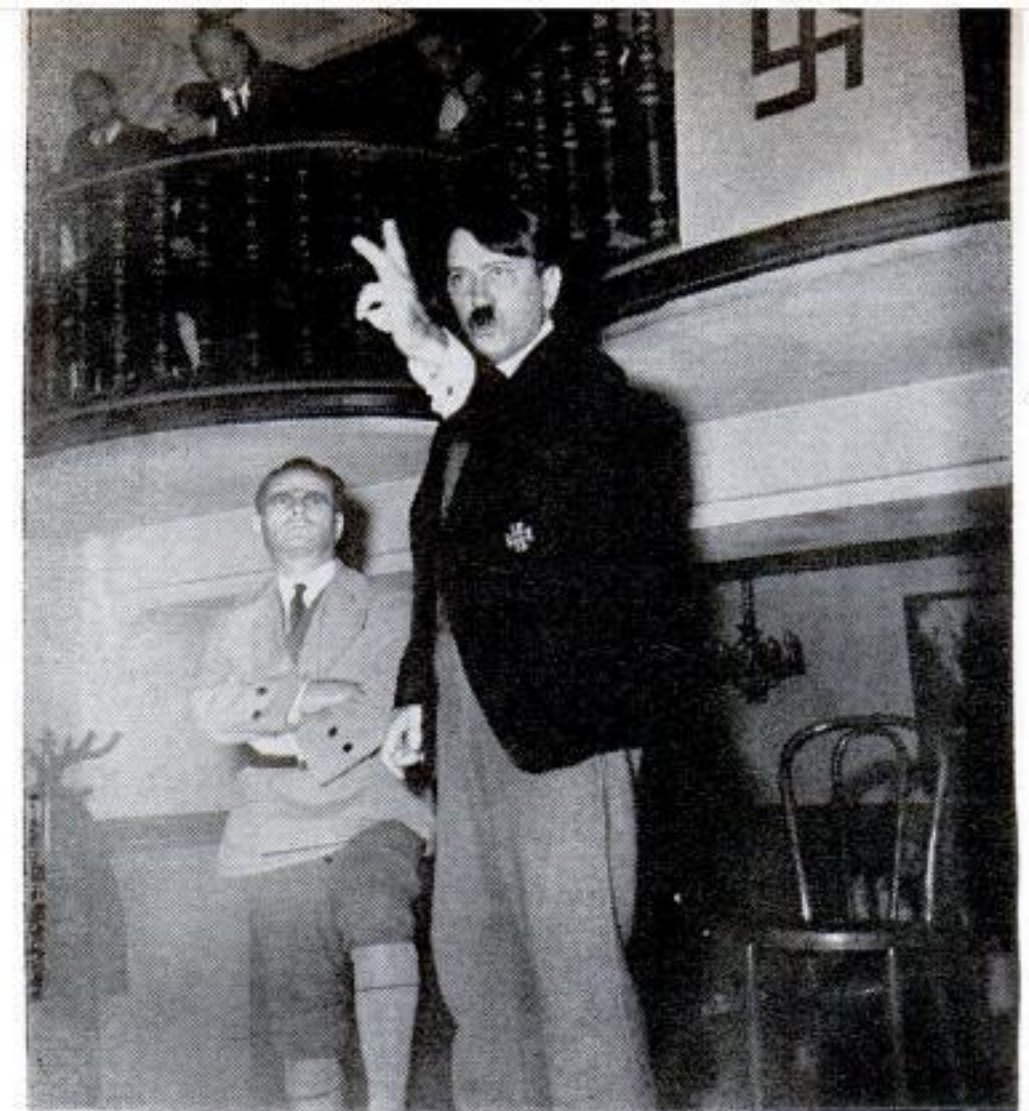
Beer-hall Putsch of Nov. 8, 1923 in Munich, a premature attempt to place the National Socialist Party in power, failed

the next day. Fired upon by police while marching through the streets, Hitler's troops were dispersed and some killed.



Hitler dropped to the ground after the first volley and escaped during the confusion to a waiting automobile. In the exchange

of shots, 16 were killed and 40 were wounded. Only the proud Ludendorff continued to advance against the heavy rifle fire.



Hitler's oratory against Jewry assured him leadership in the anti-Semitic Workers' Party. Rudolf Hess was an early aide.

MOVIE OF THE WEEK:

The Hitler Gang

It is a grim historical lesson in the art of political gangsterism

The lives and crimes of the Nazi party should by now be old stuff to movie-going Americans. Since 1939 Hollywood has offered increasingly intense arguments (recent examples: *Hitler's Children*, *None Shall Escape*) for the swift extinction of Hitler and his crew. Yet into *The Hitler Gang*, Paramount has managed to instill an original horror by keeping close to the sordid truths which history offers in evidence against the Nazi gang.

Dealing with the period between Hitler's release from an army hospital in 1918 and the Blood Purge of 1934, *The Hitler Gang* is best when it follows the narrative of history. Its great weakness, however, is that history is still in the process of working out the last act and so the movie has no place to go at the end. A few weighty sentences and a blurred montage of allied might results in only a dismal finesse.

The originality of *The Hitler Gang* is largely the result of the amazingly lifelike characterizations given by Robert Watson as Hitler, Victor Varconi as Hess, Martin Kosleck as Goebbels and Luis Van Rooten as Himmler. Relatively unknown previous to their appearance in this picture, this collection of actors will probably become so stereotyped by their splendid performances that they will have to make careers of playing the German bad boys or sink back into obscurity.



The police discovered Hitler trembling in a wardrobe at the Hausstaengel home two days later. He was led away to trial



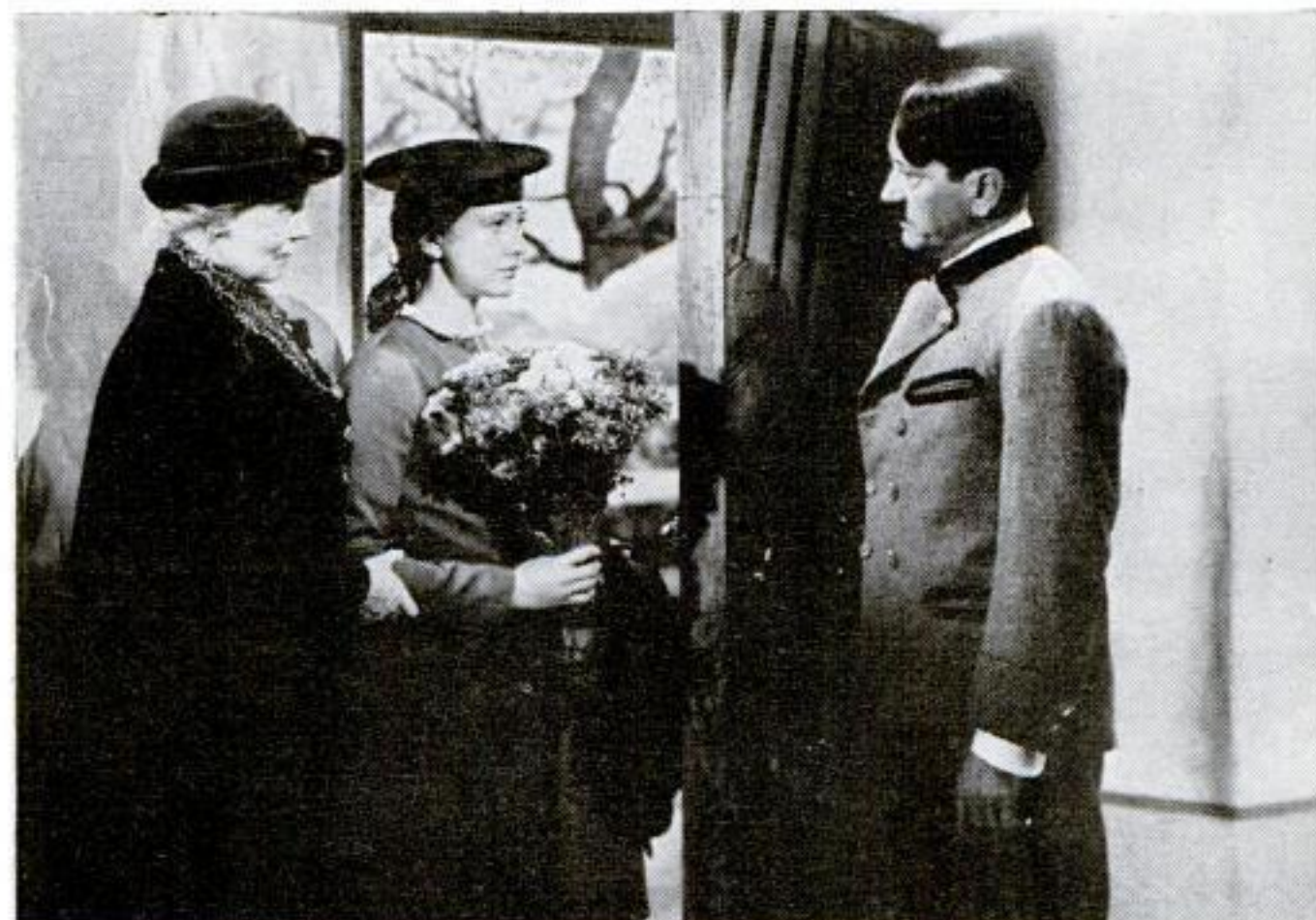
Sentenced to five years in the Landsberg Fortress, Hitler served only eight and a half months of term. There he wrote *Mein Kampf*, dictating most of it to Rudolf Hess.



Joseph Goebbels visits Hitler in prison. A latecomer to the Hitler gang, the crafty Goebbels quickly put himself in Hitler's favor by playing on his paranoid fears.



Heinrich Himmler was only a chauffeur when he joined the party. By wily investigation of his fellow members, he soon learned enough to be admitted to inner circle.



Released from prison, Hitler asked his sister and his niece Geli to live with him. A lonely and troubled man, Hitler developed erotic fixation for Geli, ignored his work.

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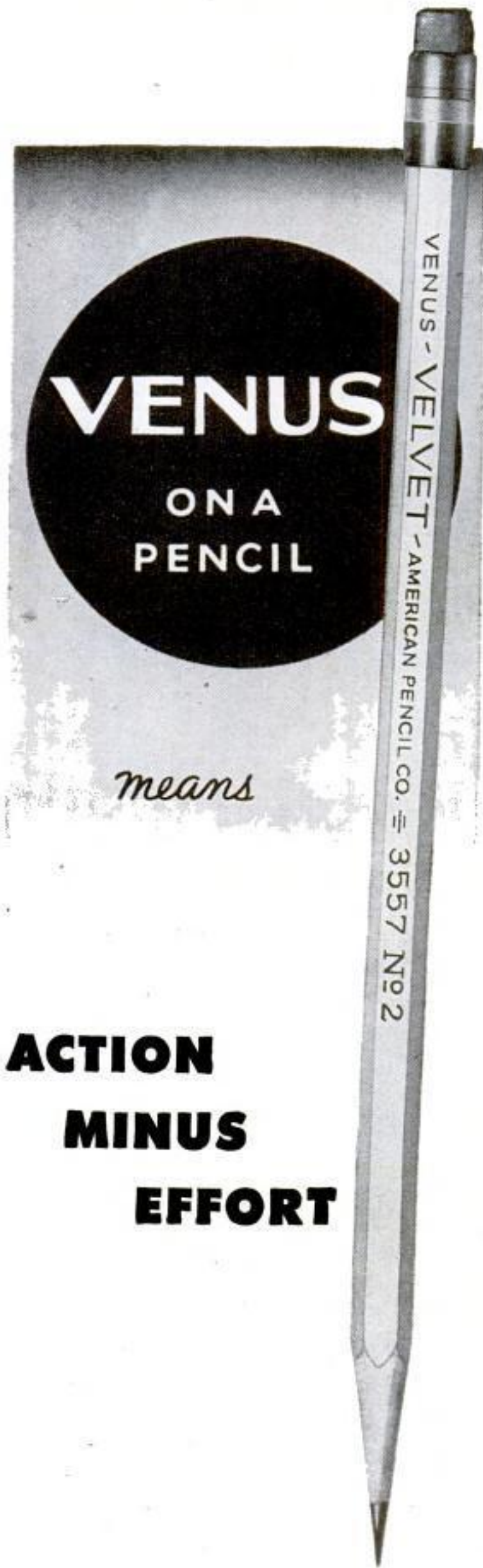
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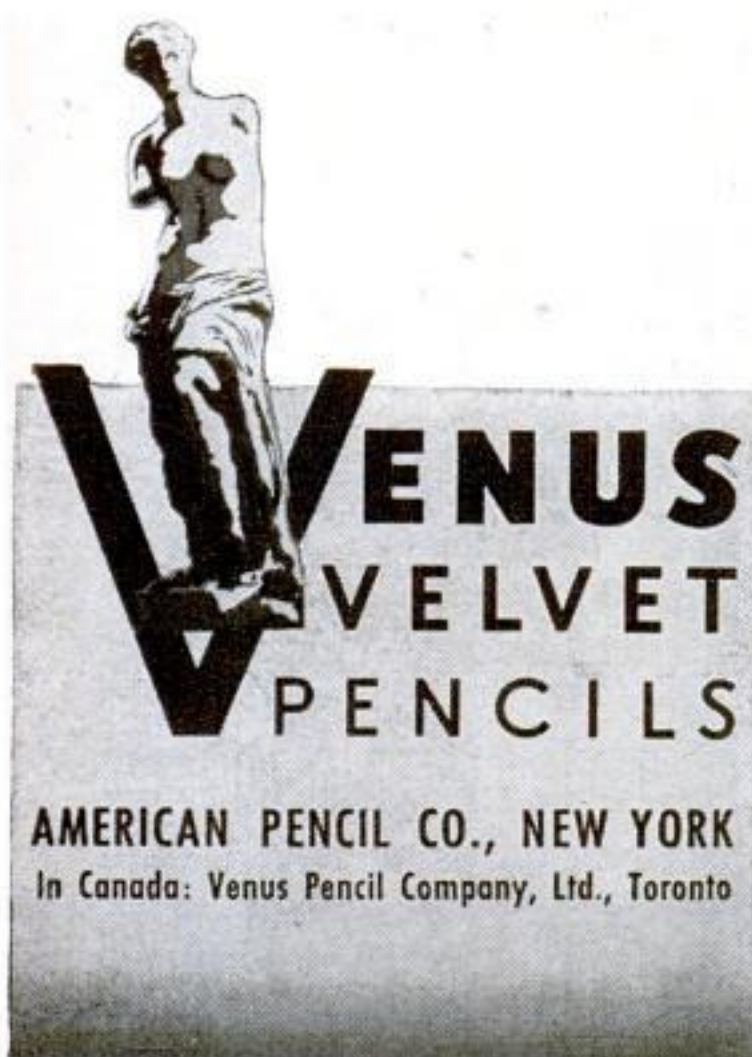
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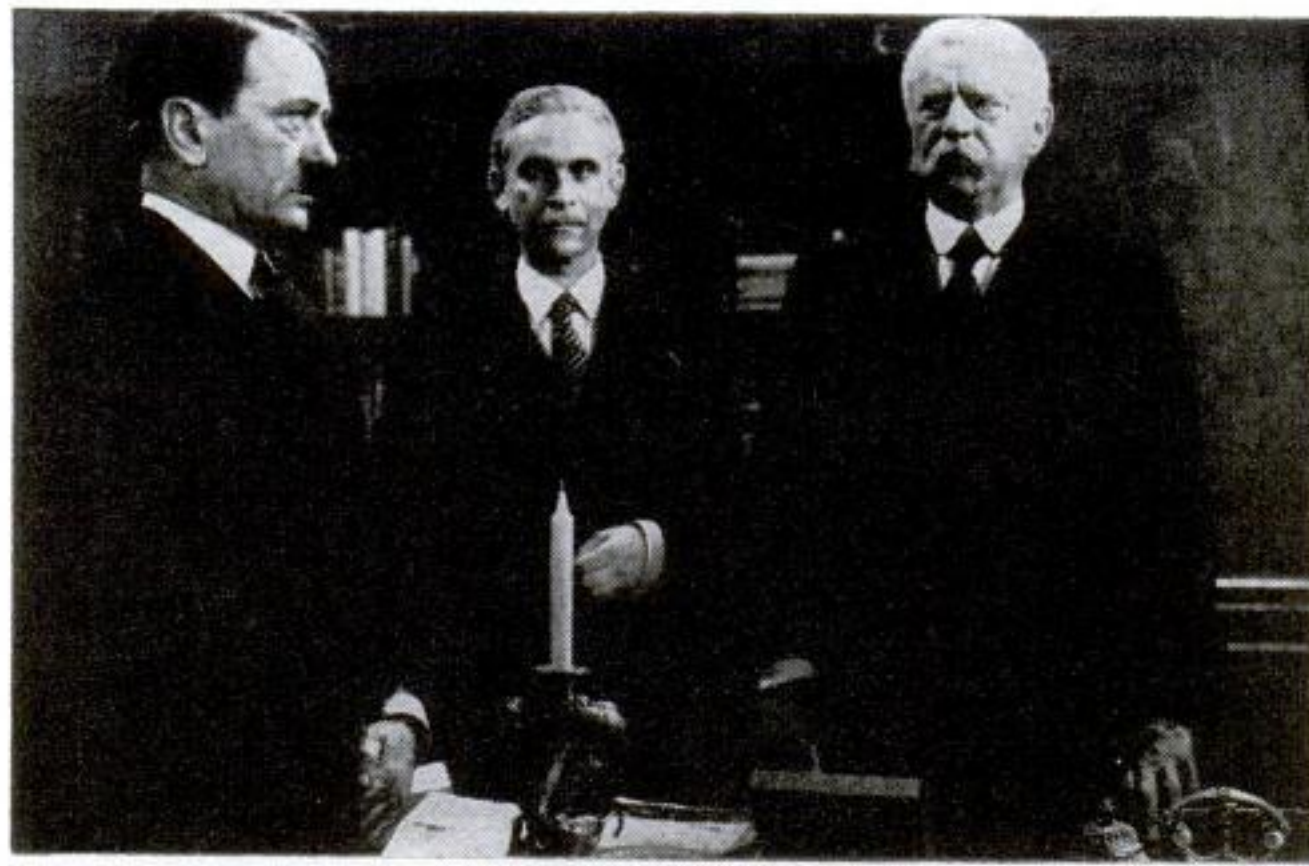
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"The Hitler Gang" (continued)



Aided by German capitalists, Hitler had by 1932 made the party into an effective machine. In 1933 aging President Hindenburg was bilked into naming Hitler chancellor.



Burning of the Reichstag on Feb. 27, 1933 by the Nazis gave them chance to launch huge Red scare. To quell the Communists, Hitler was given full dictatorial powers.



Hitler's cutthroats used the flurry of the Red scare to clean out all of their political enemies. Storm troops attacked all political clubs of Jews, Reds and Catholics alike.



In complete control of Third Reich, gang plotted a purge of party's ranks. Hitler was at first opposed to elimination of Röhm and his clique of storm troops, later agreed.



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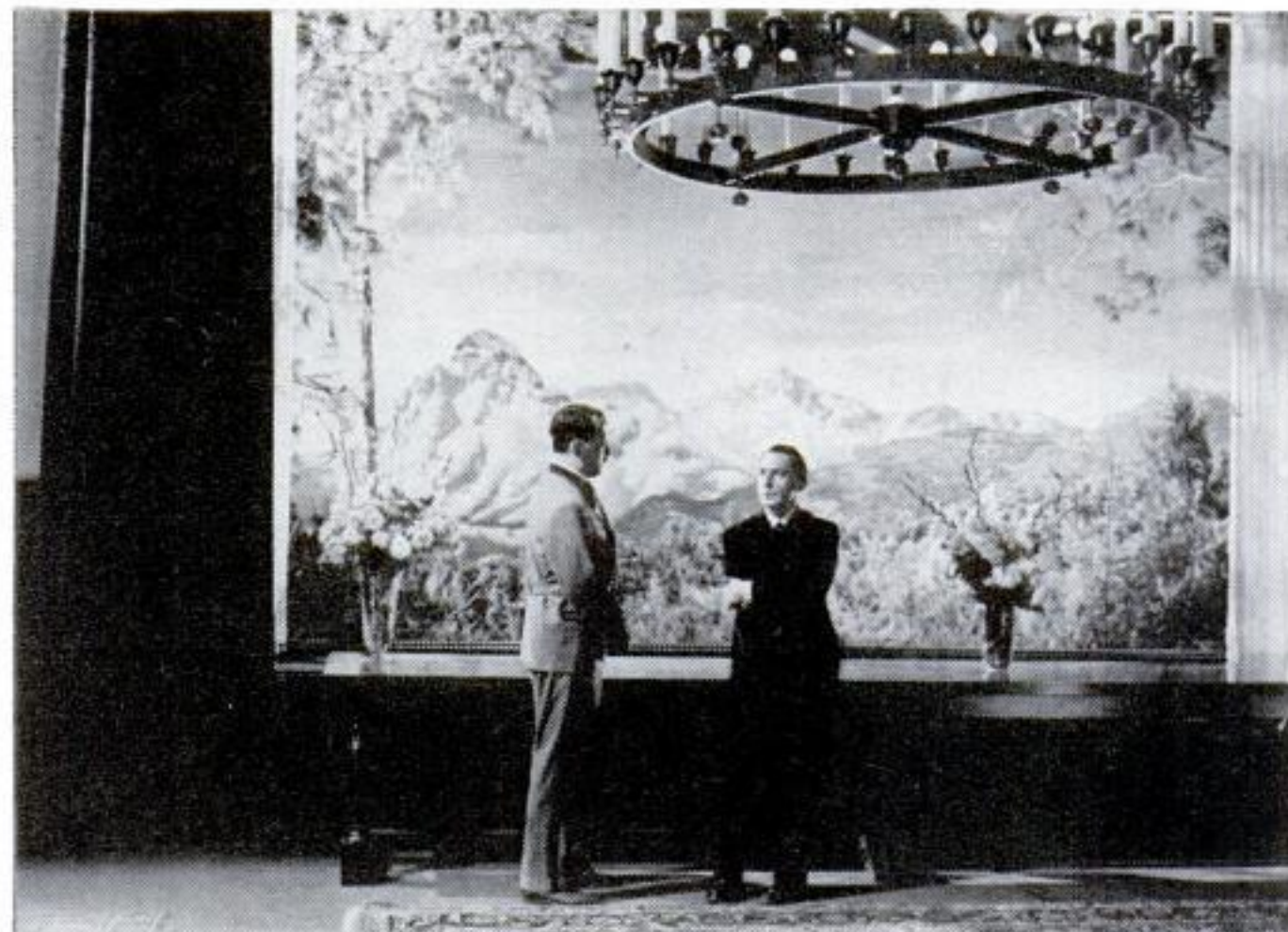
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"The Hitler Gang" (continued)



Sent to a mountain retreat while the gang planned details of the purge, Hitler fretted about losing Röhm. In early years Röhm had provided Hitler with protection.



Röhm was killed in his cell by SS men. Because of his long standing friendship with Hitler, Röhm was offered the dubious privilege of committing suicide. He refused.



Wholesale murder accompanied Röhm's death. In addition to storm-troop leaders, scientists, priests and many political enemies of the gang were quietly slaughtered.



The blood bath completed, Hitler was now in accord with German Army. He was left free to plot his world conquest beginning with small nations around Germany.

In 1493, Christopher Columbus found pineapple growing in the West Indies Island of Guadeloupe, according to Peter Martyr (1455-1526), historian of the New World. But that wild pineapple, you may be sure, was quite different from the luscious fruit grown in Hawaii today.

First record of pineapple in the Hawaiian Islands dates from 1813. Don Francisco de Paula y Marin, adviser to Hawaii's great King Kamehameha I, wrote of planting pineapple in his garden. That, too, was a far cry from the golden, mellow fruit grown on present-day plantations.



HAWAIIAN ISLANDS



Clipper Ships in the Gold Rush Days carried fresh pineapples from Hawaii to San Francisco

Long centuries before Capt. Cook's discovery, exploring Polynesians reached Hawaii in their great outrigger canoes

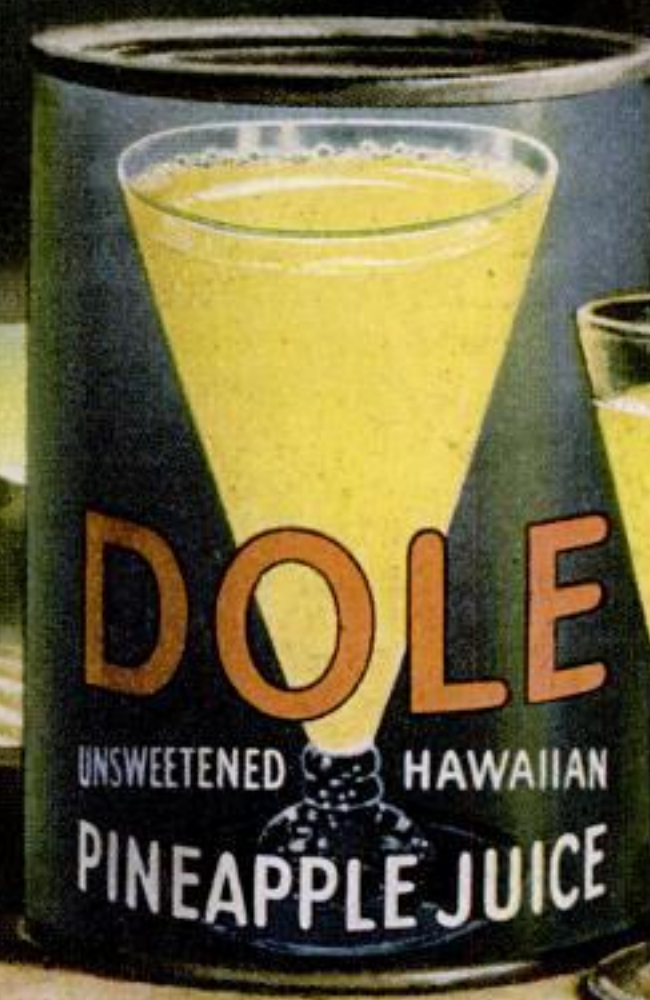


Columbus discovered pineapples on the island of Guadeloupe in 1493

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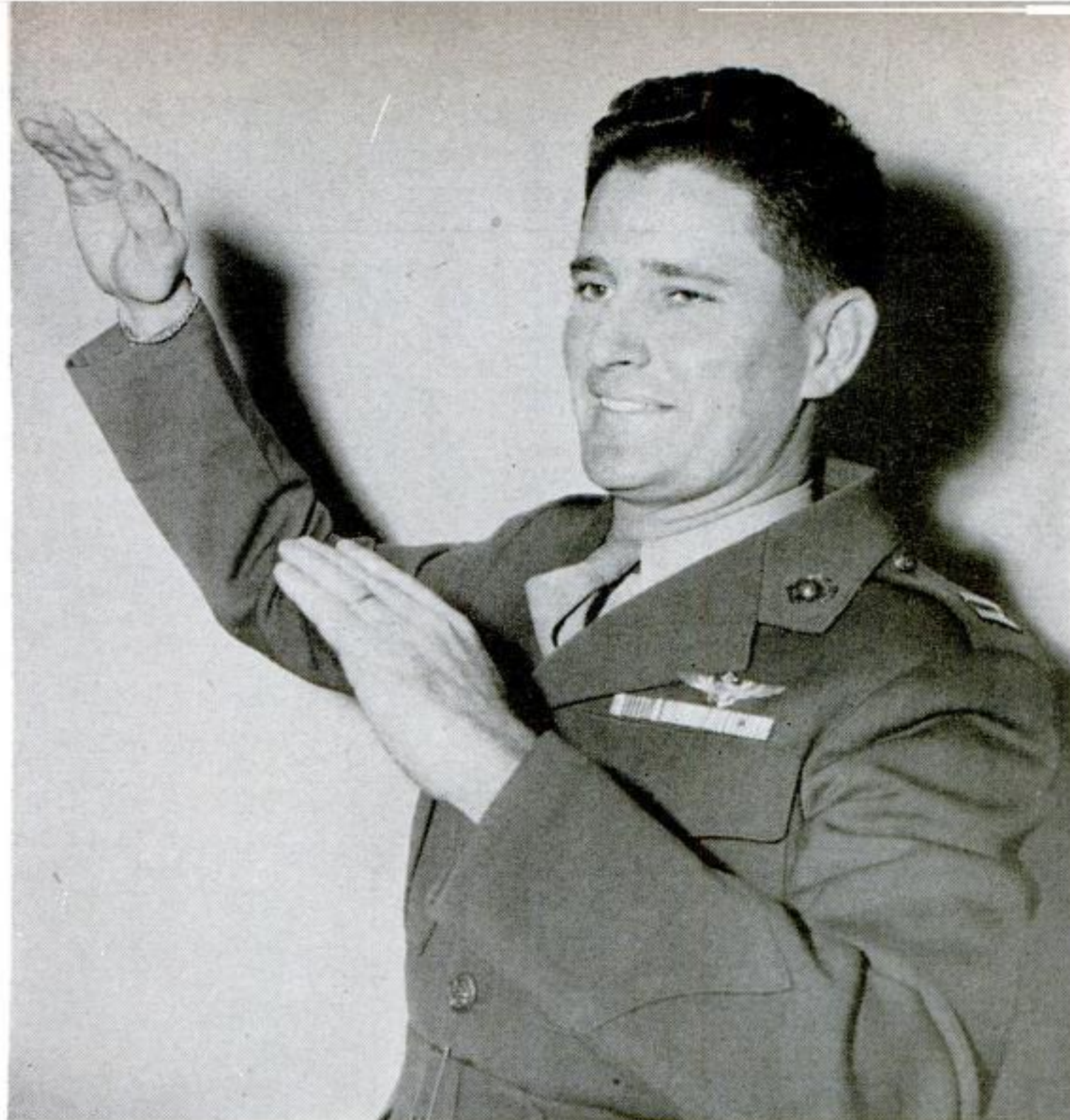
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27 Major Richard I. Bong, 23, of Poplar, Wis., made highest U. S. score in New Guinea area. In compiling record he used seven different Lightnings. He has been awarded D.S.C., Silver Star with oak leaf, D.F.C. with four oak leaves, Air Medal with 11 oak leaves.



26 Major Joseph J. Foss, USMC, 29, of Sioux Falls, S. D., was the first to equal Rickenbacker's 26. Flying Grumman Wildcats at Guadalcanal, he bagged 22 in six weeks. He is now in South Pacific as squadron commander. He received Congressional Medal of Honor.

254 ENEMY PLANES

THEY HAVE BEEN SHOT DOWN IN COMBAT BY 11 AMERICAN ACES

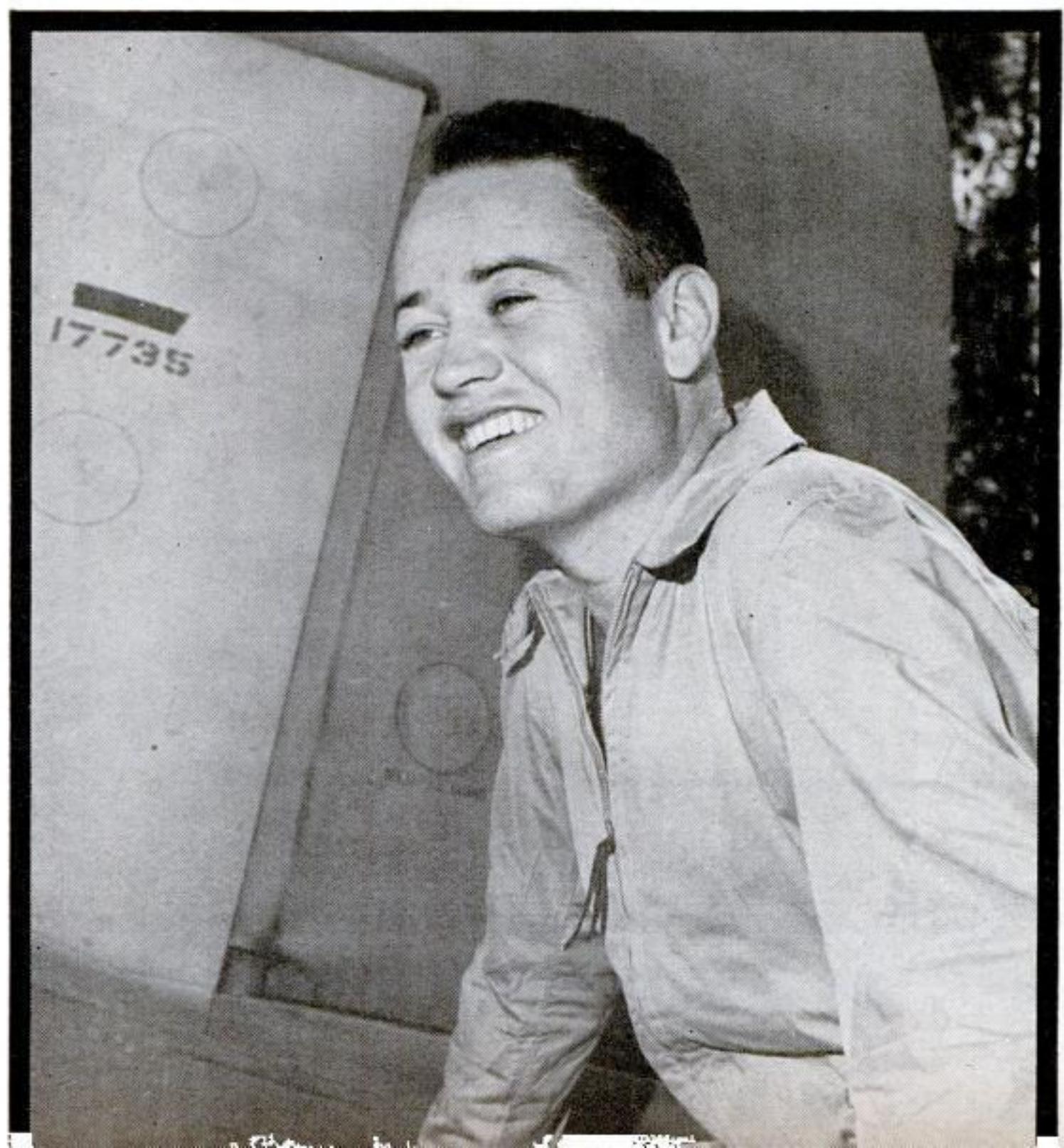
There are 254 little airplanes in the panel at the center of this page—count 'em! Each one represents a German or Japanese plane destroyed in the air by the top 11 U. S. fighter aces. Each of these men has destroyed at least 20 enemy machines. The exact number (as of May 1) is indicated with each of the informal portraits shown here. Five pictures are marked

with a black border, because five of the 11 have been killed or reported missing in action. And there is little chance that any of the missing are alive.

Pacific-theater pilots predominate in this group of supermen. Only three men have passed the 20 mark in Europe. But the vast aerial operations over the Continent will probably reverse this ratio before long.

Navy fliers do not appear at all, because the Navy technically has no aces. This is partly because the Navy counts enemy planes destroyed, and rightly, by squadron operations and not by single pilots. Even though individual flying prodigies may be the spearhead of an air force, victories in aerial warfare are only won by masses of good planes and good pilots.

26 Major Gregory Boyington, USMC, 31, of Okanogan, Wash., flew against the Japanese in China, New Britain area and the Solomons. He was reported missing in January, has since been awarded Medal of Honor. He flew P-40s in China, Corsairs in the Pacific.

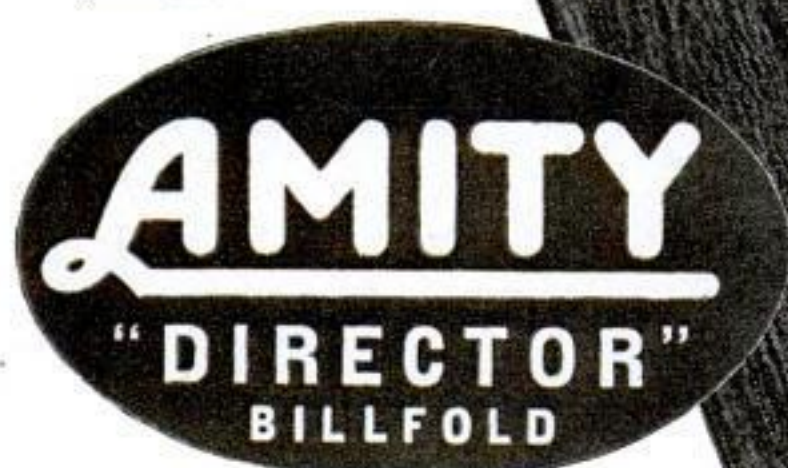


25 Lieut. Robert M. Hanson, USMC, 23, of Newtonville, Mass., was killed Feb. 3 near Rabaul when his plane crashed during strafing run. He was a member of Marine Corsair squadron which destroyed 135½ Japanese planes. His only decoration was the Air Medal.



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254 Enemy Planes (continued)



25 Captain Robert S. Johnson, 24, of Lawton, Okla., is ranking American pilot in the European theater. Since picture above was made, three more crosses have been painted on his Thunderbolt. Before the war Johnson was cabinetmaker.



23 Captain Don Gentile, 23, of Piqua, Ohio, is only Mustang pilot among top aces. He is sometimes credited with 30 planes, including seven destroyed on the ground. He first joined the RCAF, transferred from Eagle Squadron to USAAF.



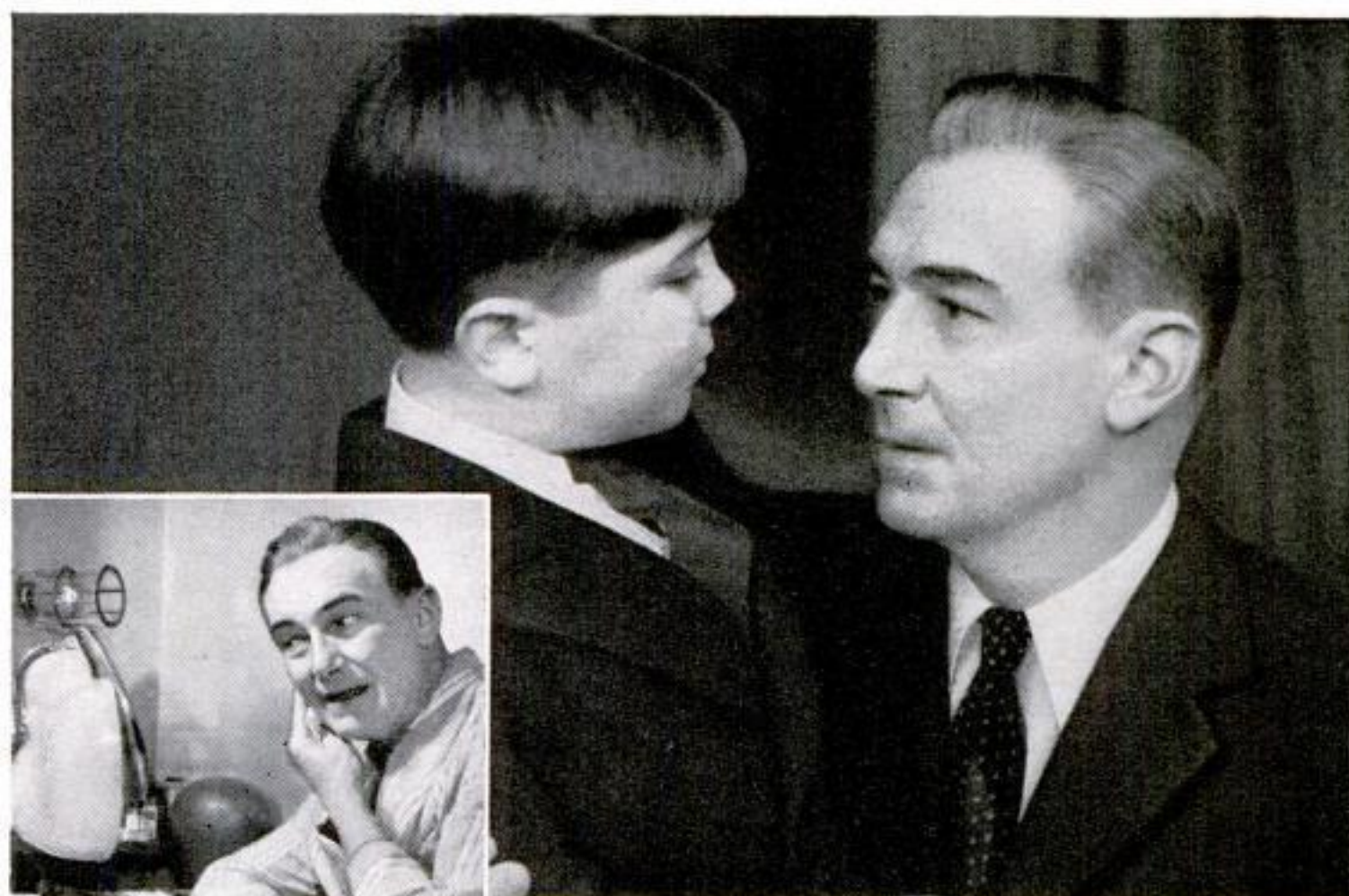
21 Major Walker Mahurin, 25, of Fort Wayne, Ind., was reported missing over Continent in March. A Thunderbolt pilot, he holds Silver Star, Air Medal with clusters, D.F.C. In picture above, he has just returned from a three-plane bag.



21 Colonel Neel E. Kearby, 32, of San Antonio, Texas, was reported missing in New Guinea early in March. He received Congressional Medal of Honor for shooting down six Japanese planes in one engagement. His plane was a Thunderbolt.

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ACTORS' FACES are extra sensitive



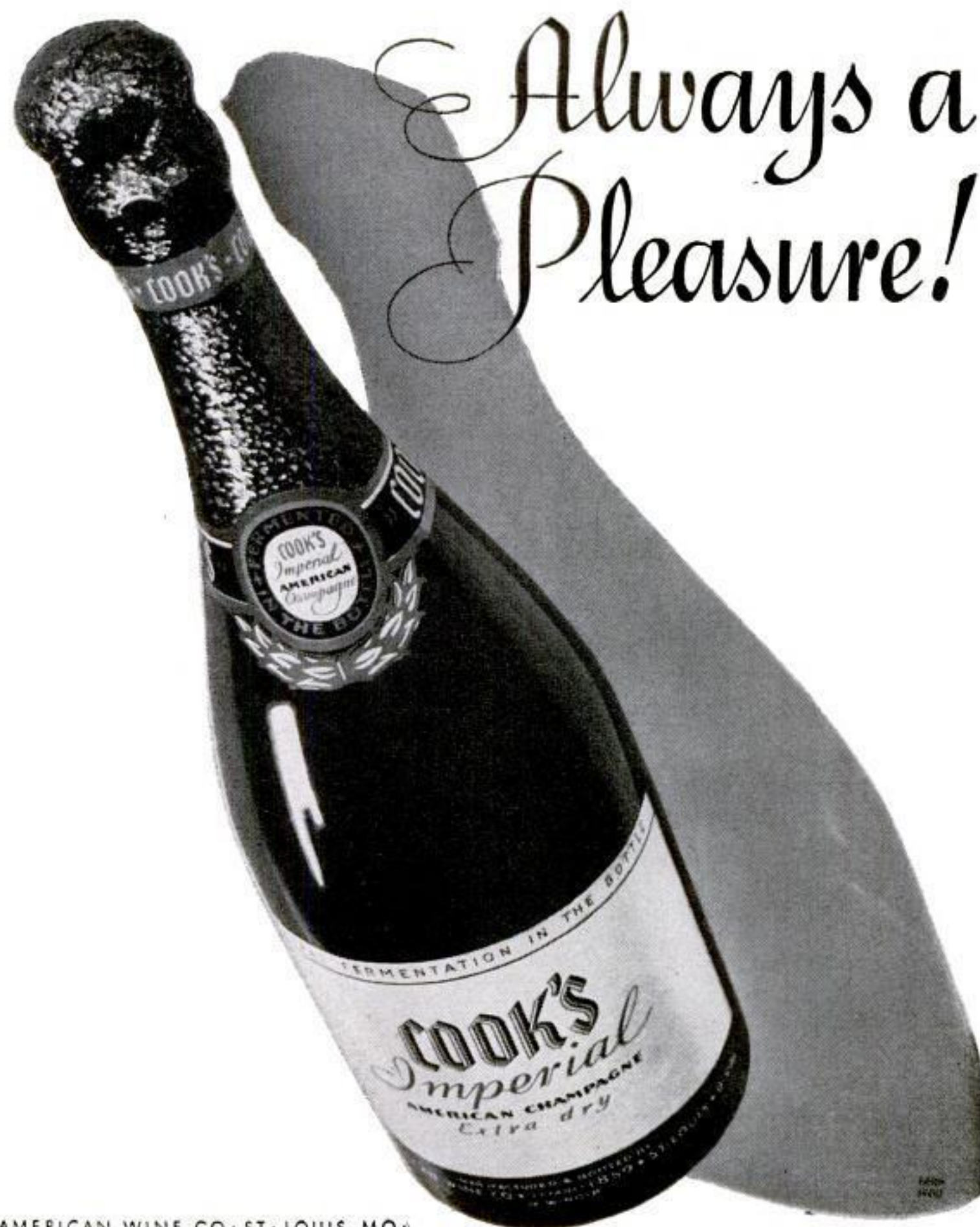
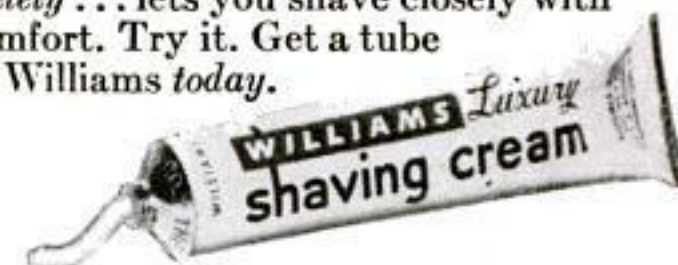
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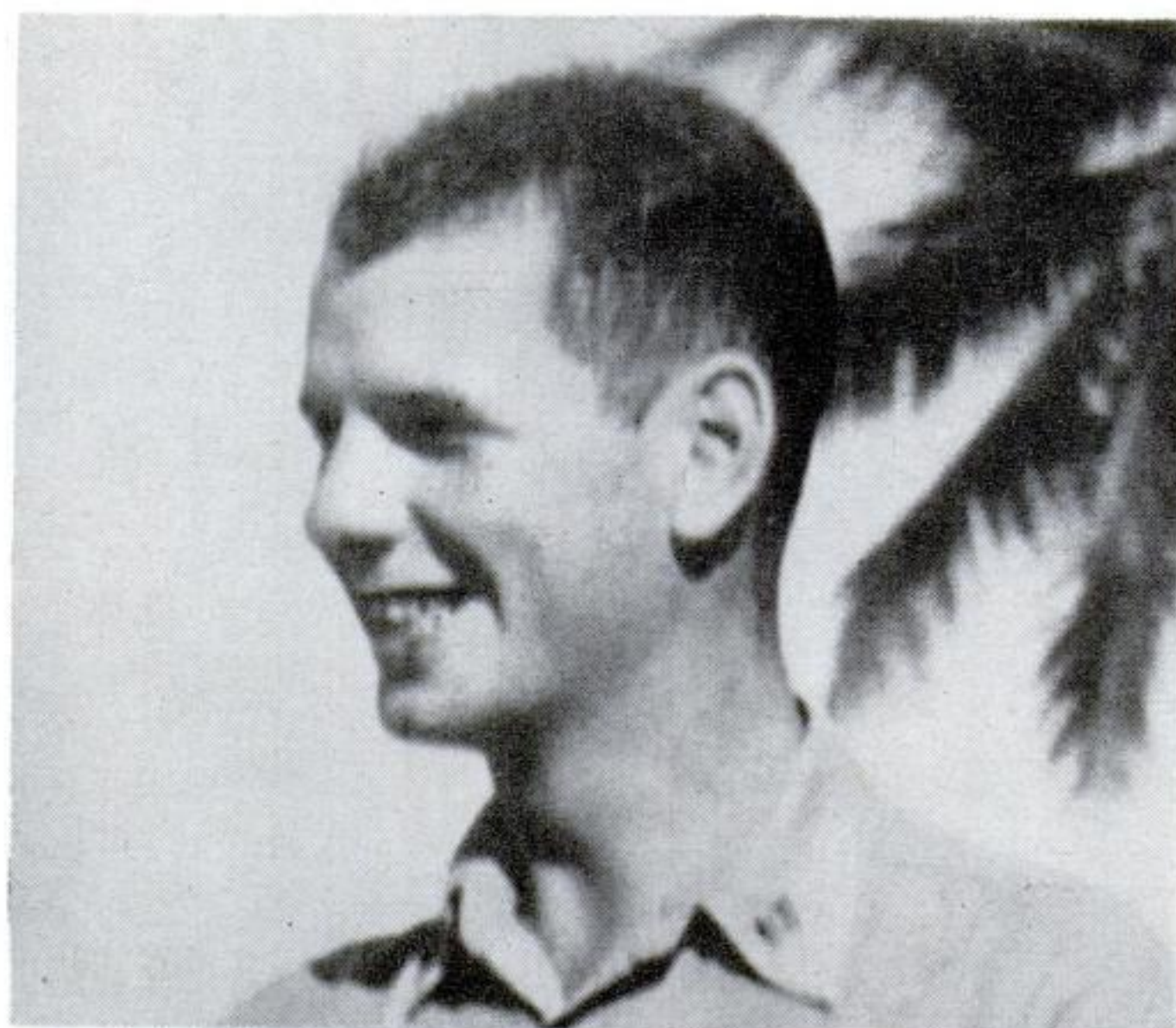
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20 Captain Donald N. Aldrich, USMC, 26, of Chicago, was a member of same Corsair squadron as 25-plane ace Hanson. Before joining Marines he was a pilot in RCAF. He is now back in U. S. He holds D.F.C., Air Medal, Purple Heart.



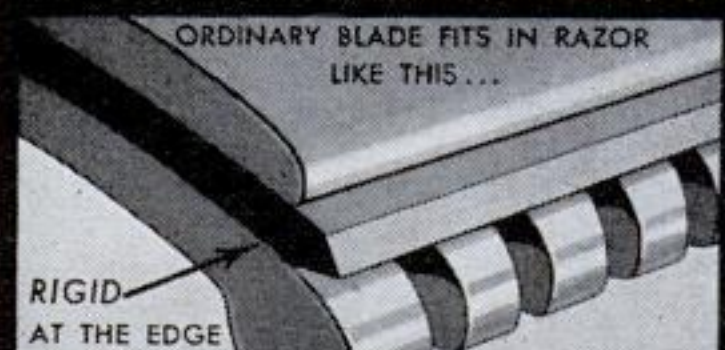
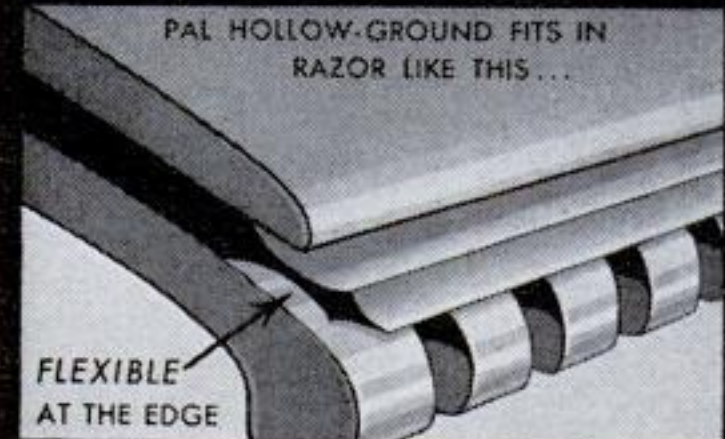
20 Captain Kenneth A. Walsh, USMC, 29, of Washington, D. C., was member of first Corsair squadron sent into action, received Medal of Honor for attacking 50 planes alone, shooting down four. He joined Marines as private in 1933.



20 Lieut. Col. Thomas J. Lynch, 27, of Catasauqua, Pa., was killed over New Guinea in March. He had been in South Pacific theater for two years. He won D.S.C., D.F.C., Air Medal, Silver Star and Purple Heart. He flew a Lightning.

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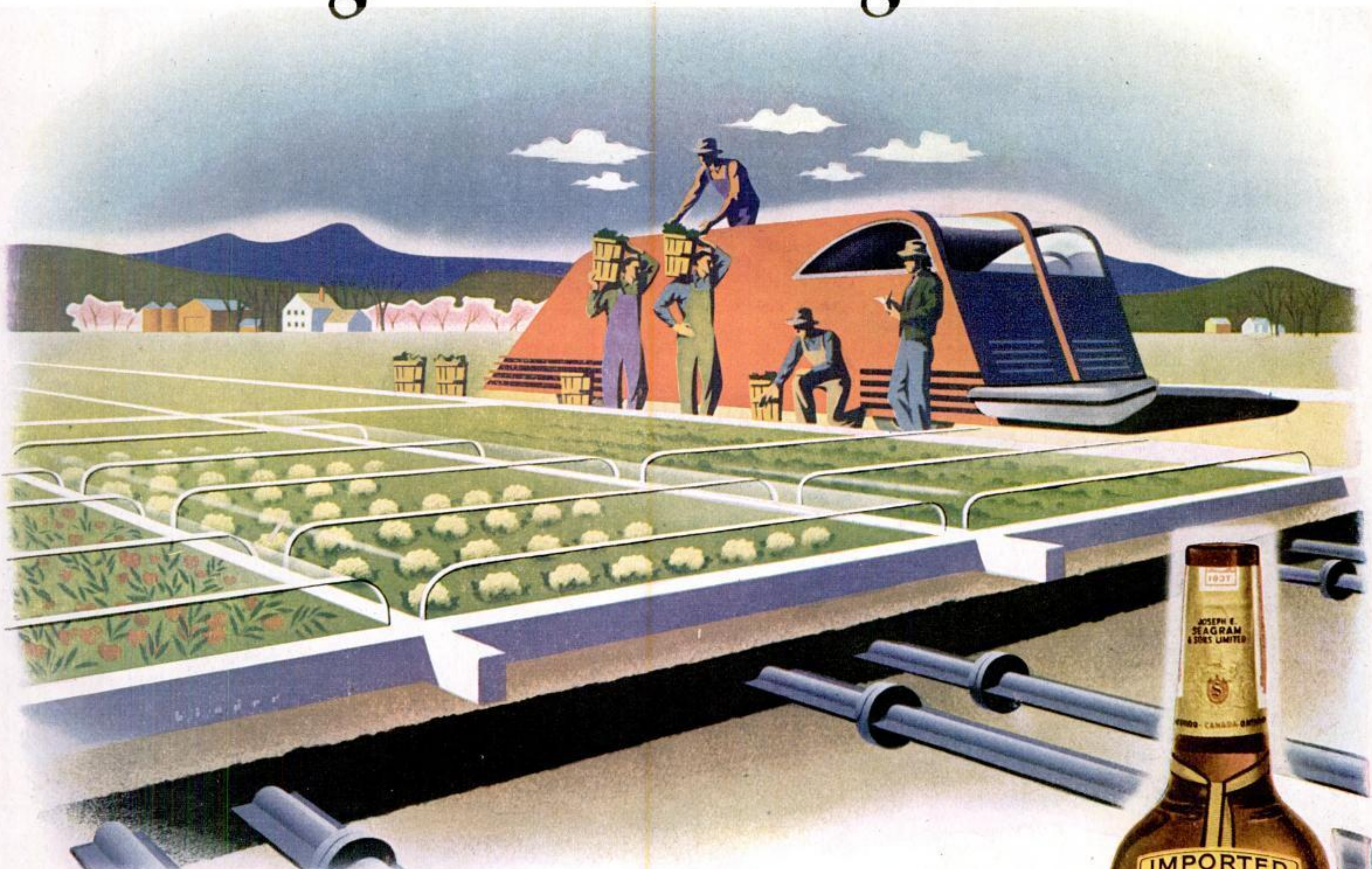


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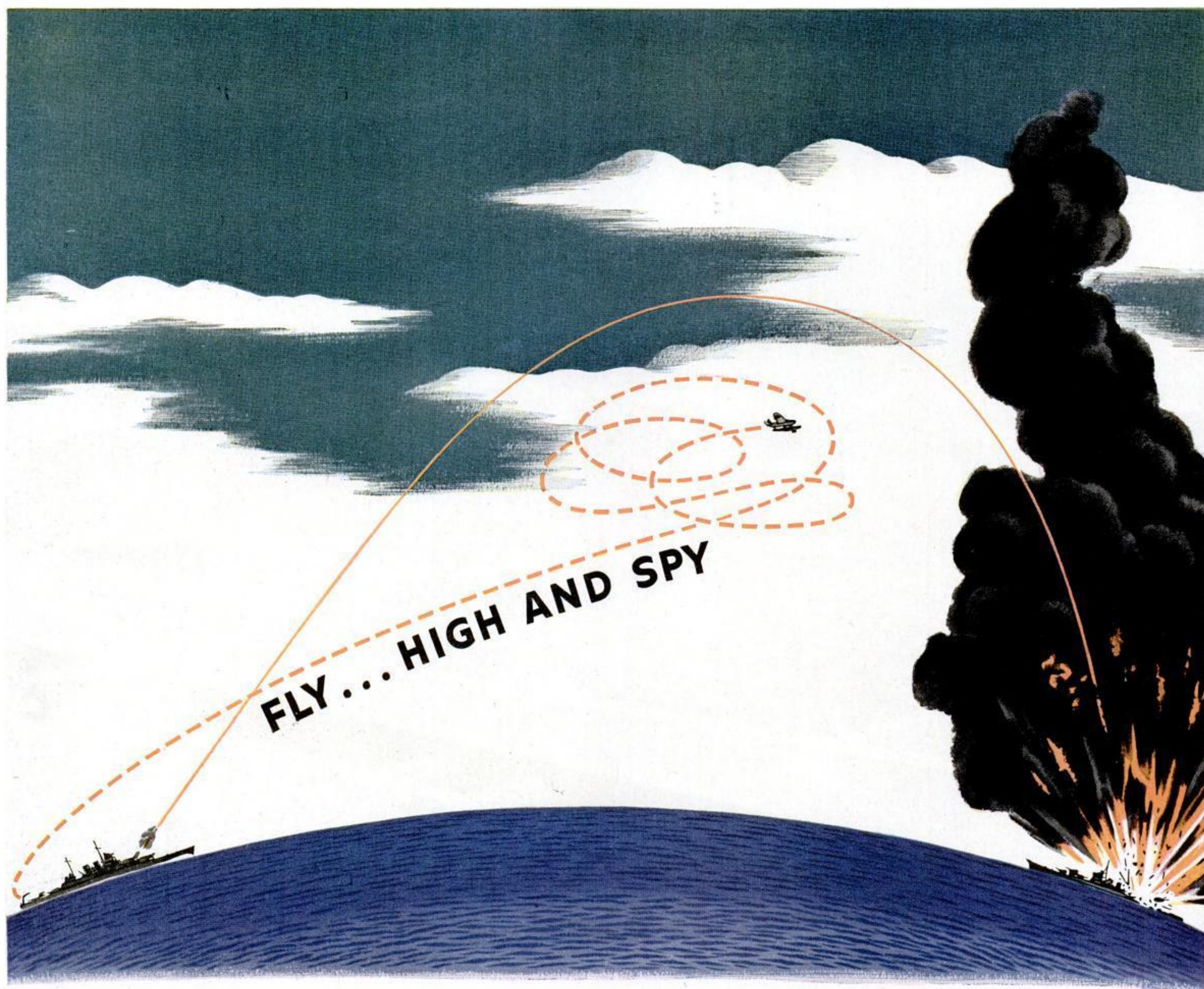
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It's all over sooner than you realize. The Japs, or what's left of them, have gone away. And you, your job done, "head for the barn" and a coke with the boys!

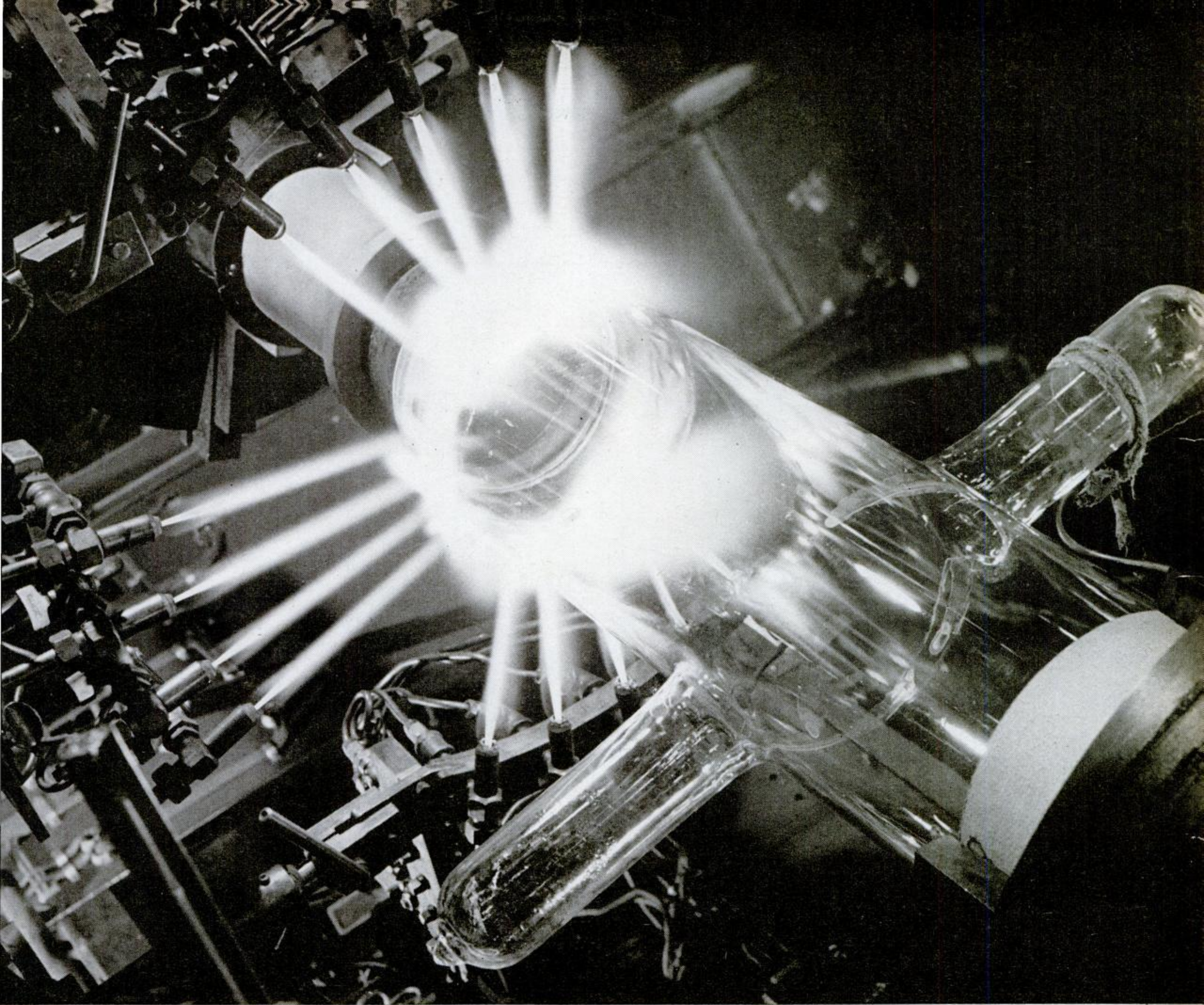
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ELECTRONICS

In a General Electric Co. factory in Schenectady, N. Y., oxygen-hydrogen flames heat a long glass tube to 900° centigrade so that the hard glass will become plastic and amen-

able to shaping. Rushed by the new demand for its revolutionary war devices—like radar—electronics has become a \$4,000,000,000 business, bigger than the whole prewar auto industry.

WAR PRODUCTION

U. S. INDUSTRY PUTS HUGE WEIGHT INTO INVASION

Photographs for LIFE by Andreas Feininger

The invasion of western Europe has waited for many things—for millions of men to be trained, for military plans to be perfected, for the earth to dry out, for proper tides to come, for enemy industry to be weakened, for allied strength to mass. But most of all it has waited until the world's mightiest industrial power could land its full, enormous weight on the shores of Europe.

To the enemy, anxious behind his fortifications, the weight of America's industry must look overwhelming. The U. S. seems to be able to take on the whole world in production. It is producing as much steel as all the rest of the world combined. It is building more planes than its enemies and allies together can build. In four years it has built enough cargo tonnage to almost double the size of the world's ocean fleets. It has, above all, been able to come close to most of the brave goals it set for itself in the hectic days when war first broke on it.

In the early days—the time of Knudsen-Hillman, of the successive fumbblings of NDAC, OPM, SPAB, and of the successive shortages of almost everything—

it looked as if the U. S. could never really get going. First there was a serious machine-tool shortage. When that was eased in late 1942, shortages of materials became very acute. Bottleneck after bottleneck choked the intricate U. S. production line. Not until the latter part of last year were material shortages relieved. Then the manpower shortage became a problem. But today the main job is to keep the big machine rolling smoothly, channeling production to meet the changing demands of war.

Without undergoing the drastic strains that afflicted other warring countries, the U. S. is producing twice as much as it produced in 1939. By heroic effort, Great Britain was able to increase production 20%. Germany and Russia have had to eliminate almost all of their civilian production in order to produce for war. In 1944 the U. S. must spend \$93,000,000,000 on war goods. This will be the most productive of all American years. It will also be the year in which the products of this tremendous industrial effort will play their biggest role in American history.



OIL

This low-pressure steam cracking plant at Standard Oil of Louisiana's Baton Rouge refinery helps make rubber, high-octane gasoline and high explosives. In the pipes, tanks and stills of these scaffolded towers crude petroleum is chilled, boiled and squeezed until it separates into butadiene, ethylene and propylene—ingredients whose molecules can be bounced around until they fall into the patterns that produce synthetic rubber

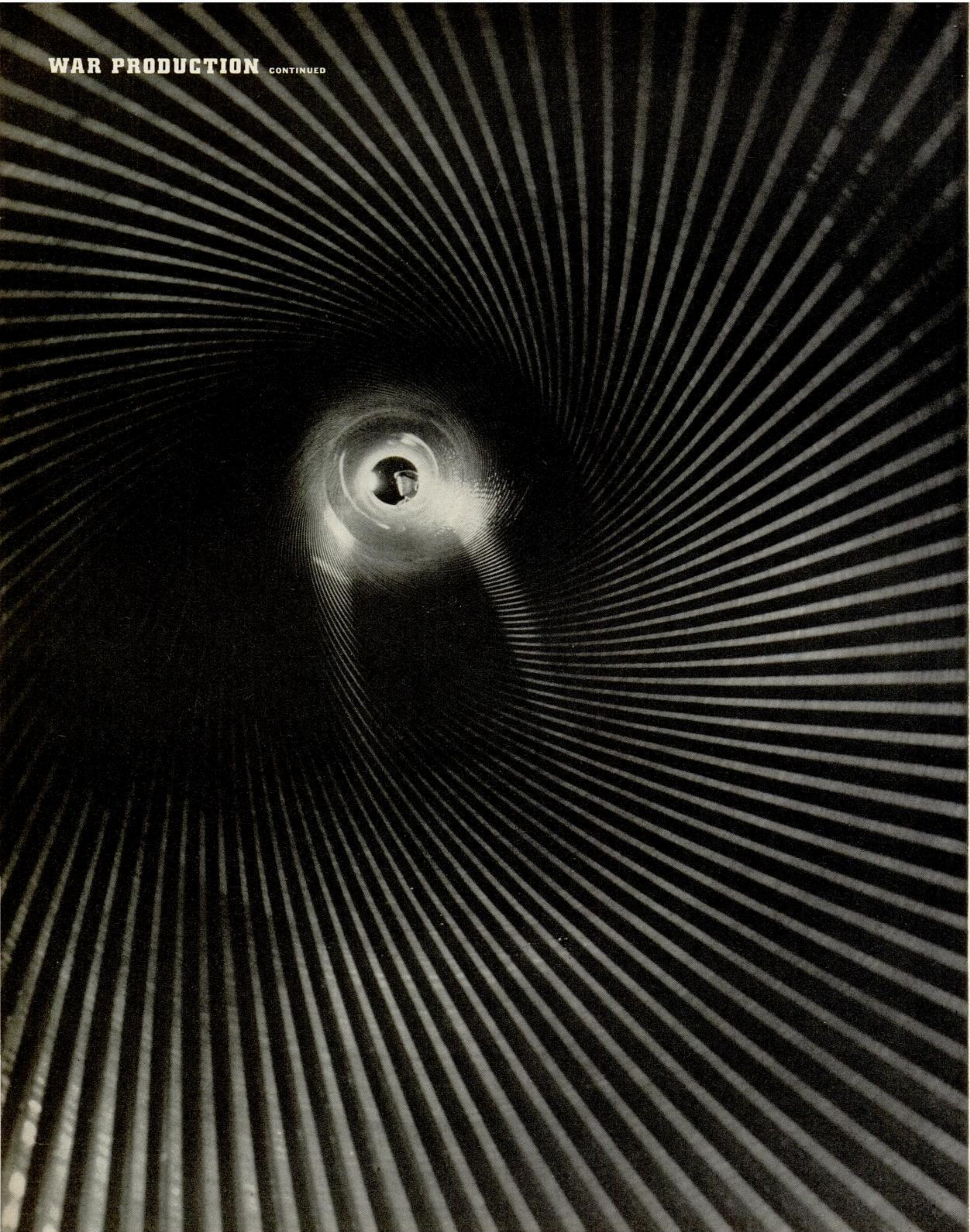
and the bases for high-powered fuel and explosives. The U. S. made no synthetic rubber in 1939. Today the amount of synthetic rubber it makes—55,000 tons a month—is greater than amount of natural rubber the country used in prewar times. In 1941, the U. S. made 40,000 barrels of high-octane fuel a day. Now it makes 400,000 barrels a day. Today the 1,600,000,000 barrels per year of oil the U. S. gets out of its wells supplies 70% of the oil used by all the United Nations.



STEEL

Here is the base of the whole war machine—a drafty, noisy, grimy steel plant. It is the open-hearth shop at Carnegie-Illinois' Edgar Thompson Works in Braddock, Pa. At left are ladles into which steel and slag pour from the furnaces. At right are the ingot molds into which the liquid metal is "teemed" from overhead ladles. Although the U. S. has been producing prodigious amounts

of steel, shortage of the metal has up until recently caused shortages throughout U. S. war industries. Steel itself has been faced with lacks of capacity, manpower and scrap. After ponderous effort, capacity has been raised from 84,000,000 tons a year to 94,000,000 tons. Manpower shortages are being solved by working everybody harder and longer. The supply of scrap will finally be abundant when ruined machines of war flow back from the battlefields of Europe.



GUNS

This is the inside of the barrel of a 16-inch gun undergoing inspection at the Watervliet (N. Y.) Arsenal, the Army's biggest, 131-year-old cannon factory which has made more guns for this war than for all previous wars. The grooves show the rifling which whirls the shell around as it speeds down the 67-ft.-long barrel so that its spinning through the air will send it more directly at the far-off

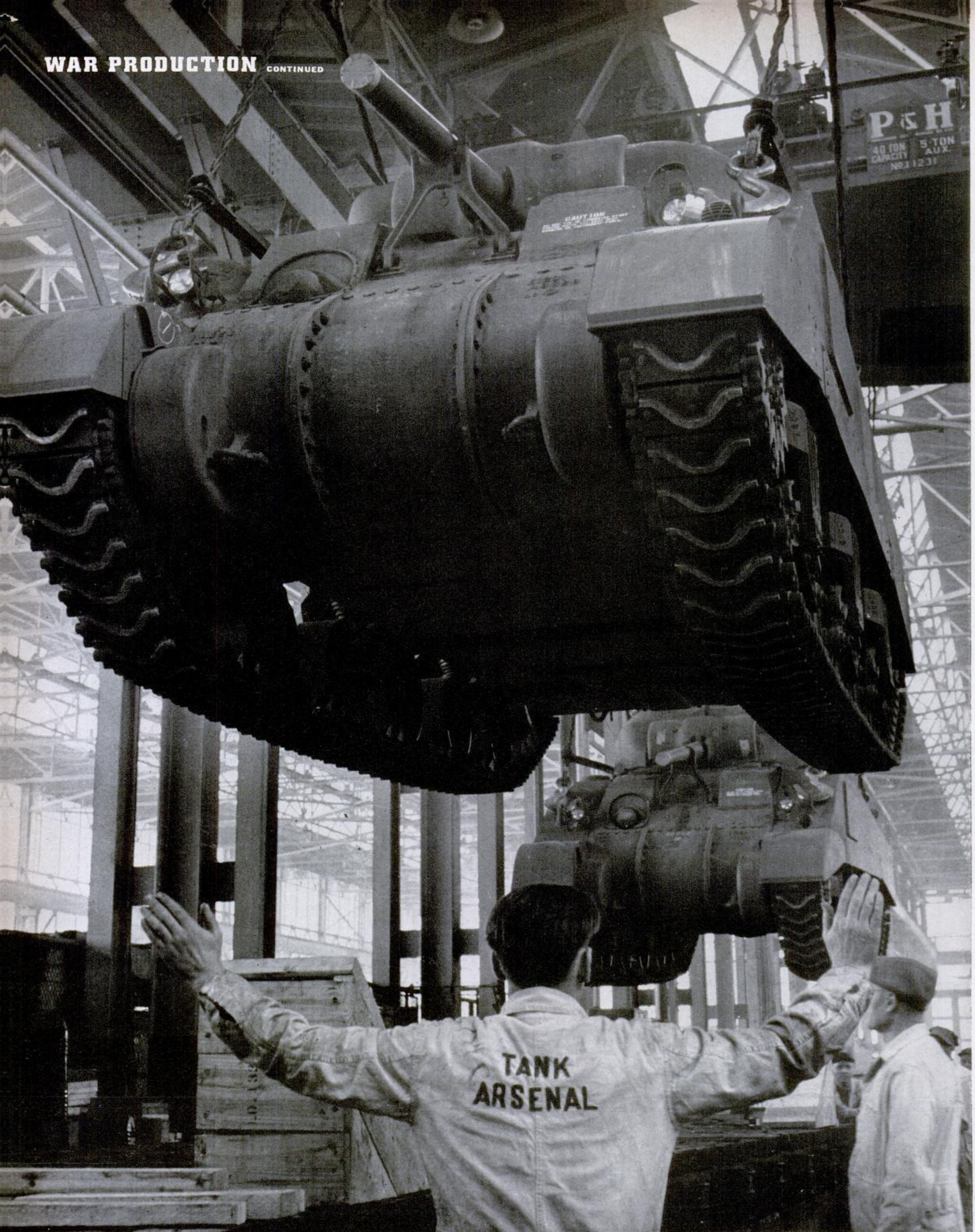
target. Big guns were neglected in the early rush to produce airplanes, which brought explosives right over the target, and tanks, which carried the guns right up to the enemy. But in Russia and in Africa it became clear how indispensable heavy artillery still was in war. A few weeks ago, U. S. production authorities announced a drastic change in their schedules. From now on the highest of all priorities are to be given to the big guns—155 mm. and up.



BOMBS

These are not big bombs, as bombs go today. They weigh only 500 pounds each, or about as much as a small grand piano. But they are among the most useful explosives that go into the great pre-invasion aerial barrage of Europe and are more destructive, pound for pound, than their bigger blockbusting brothers. Here they jiggle steadily along the overhead conveyor at the

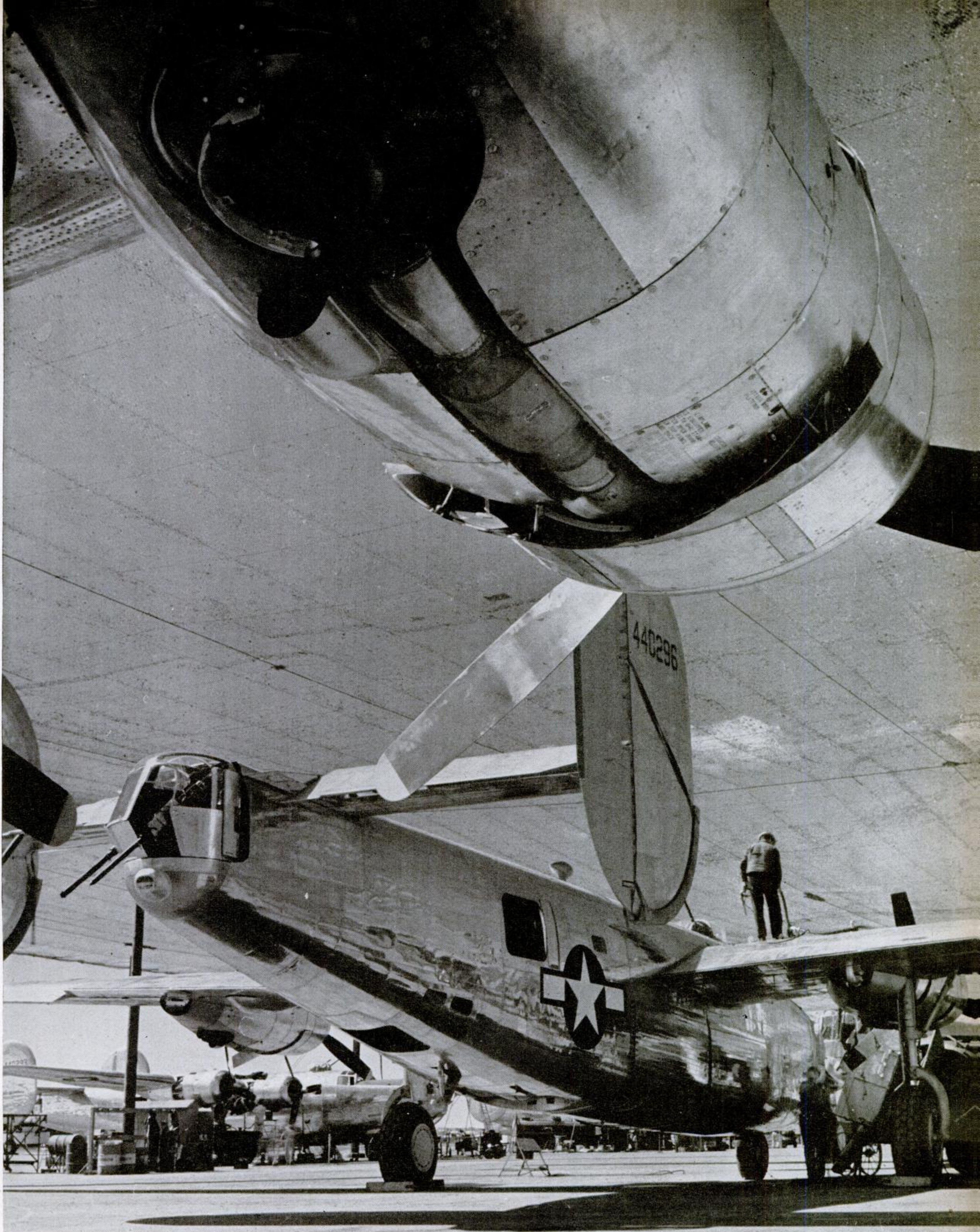
A. O. Smith Corp. plant in Milwaukee. The process of making bullets, shells and bombs is so wonderfully suited to mass production that the U.S., having started virtually from scratch, has run ahead of schedule and is shutting down some small-arms munitions plants. But shell production keeps rising and bomb production is 8% over monthly quota. This is comfortable margin even when U.S. and British planes are dropping 100,000 tons of bombs on Europe a month.



TANKS

When the M-4 medium tanks at the Chrysler Tank Arsenal in Detroit get through with the assembly line and 50-mile "run in" tests, they are hoisted onto flat cars and taken off to war. In earlier war days it seemed that assembly lines like these would solve the worst military problems. The Army, which had received 4,300 tanks in the year and a half before Pearl Harbor

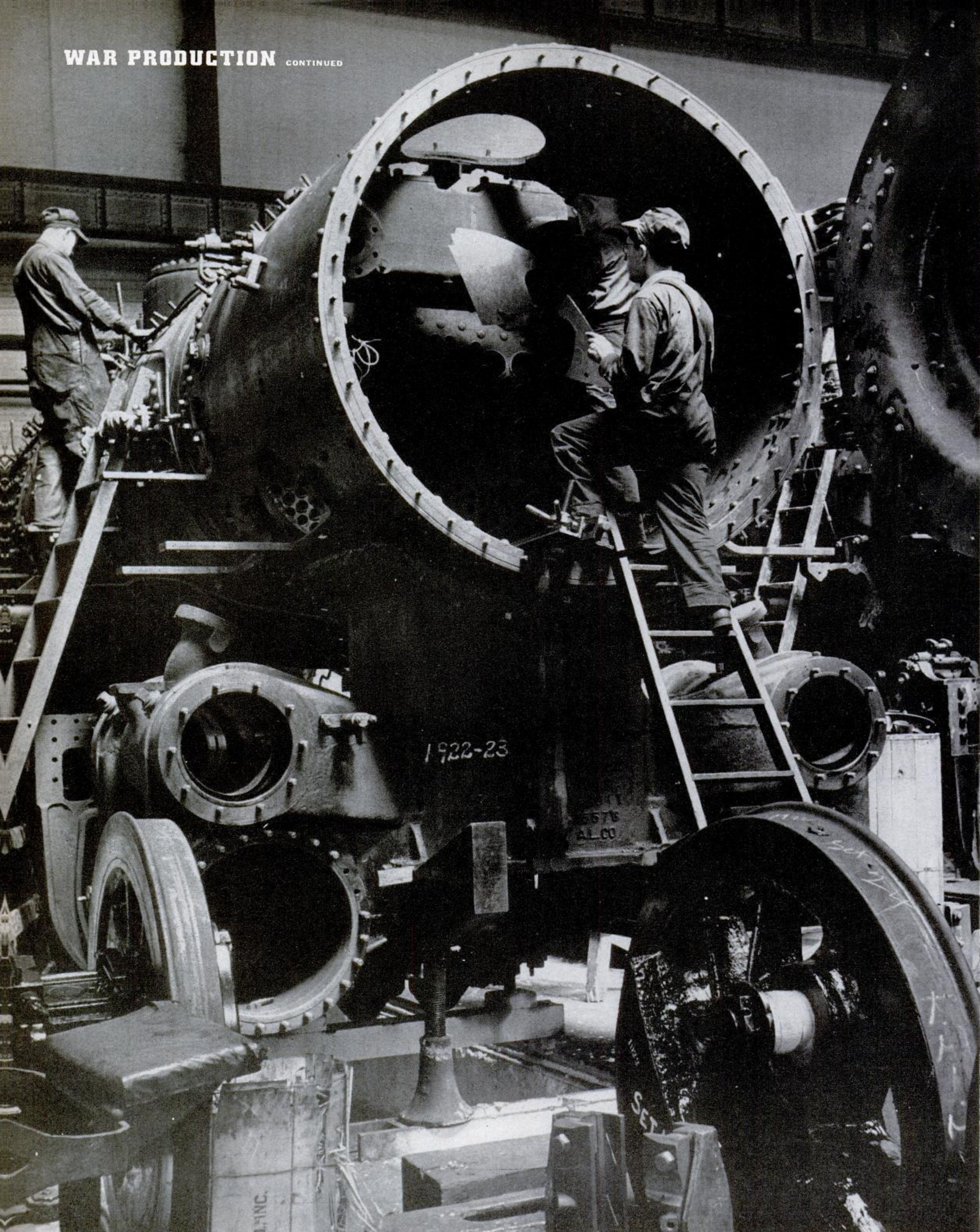
suddenly demanded 45,000 tanks a year. It never got that many in any year. In 1943 it received only 30,000 yet was already cutting down its orders. The tank no longer was the overwhelming weapon it once promised to be. Last summer tank builders had almost caught up with their quotas and were breathing easily. Suddenly new model changes put new pressure on them. Not until year's end could they be really sure they were catching up with schedules.



PLANES

When they get to the end of the final assembly line in the Consolidated Vultee factory at San Diego, the bright B-24 bombers get their first gasoline. Every day now, U. S. factories finish 350 planes, bringing yearly production up to 100,000 planes, more than twice as many as Germans and Japs together build. Only a few of them now are small training planes, whose

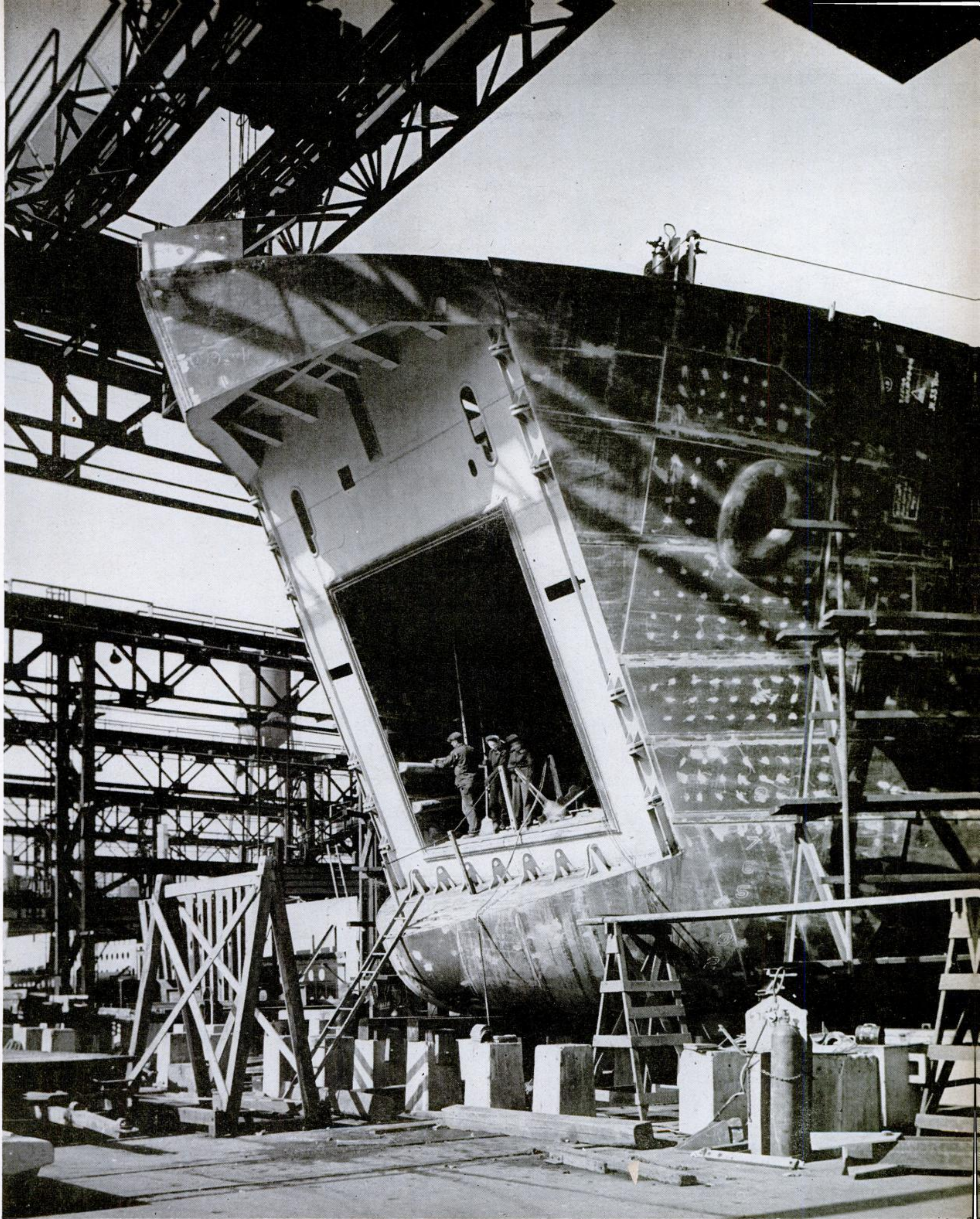
numbers used to swell early production figures. In 1941 the U. S. built 85,000,000,000 pounds of planes. This year, getting full harvest from its enormous new aircraft factories, it is building 1,000,000,000,000 pounds. Though planes grow more complex, their production gets simpler. It used to take 200,000 man-hours to produce a big bomber. It now takes 13,000 man-hours. Into building airplanes goes a fourth of the country's expenditures, a colossal \$25,000,000,000.



LOCOMOTIVES

On the erecting floor of the American Locomotive Co. at Schenectady, N. Y., workers put together the smoke box of an 0-8-0 switching locomotive. In the first defense production rush, the locomotive makers, who were well experienced in the handling of heavy but precise metal work,

were given jobs of building gun barrels, gun carriages, tanks, tank destroyers and equipment for the synthetic-rubber plants. Last year, as other producers became ready to take on these jobs, the locomotive companies were allowed to go back to their work of building locomotives. Despite other assignments, they turned out 3,400 engines in 1943, which was far above their pre-war average of 400 a year. The bulk of these new locomotives went to Army and lend-lease.



CRAFT

At a berth in American Bridge Co.'s new inland shipyard at Ambridge, Pa., on the Ohio River, a nearly finished LST (Landing Ship, Tank) waits the installation of its heavy bow doors and big ramp. The building of landing craft is now most important of all the Navy's construction projects. In 1942 the Navy spent only a comparatively few million dollars on landing craft.

Now it is ready to spend more than \$5,000,000,000 on its 11 different kinds, ranging from the small LCR (Landing Craft, Rubber) to the big LSTs and LSDs (Landing Ship, Dock). Last December, when the huge need and usefulness of these invasion craft were fully realized, the Navy said it wanted 80,000 of them built in 1944. By the middle of March half of the 80,000 had already been delivered and the Navy had set new and bigger goals for its speeding builders.



Days of terror inside war-weary, bomb-blasted Germany begin to fade away as Mrs. Gabriele Knauth plays Beethoven's *Pathétique* Sonata to her three daughters in their Connecticut home. All four of the women recently were repatriated from Leipzig on the Diplomatic Ship *Gripsholm* after having lived through

the rising tempo of the allied bombings of Germany this past winter and spring. As alien residents of wartime Germany, cut off from their father, other relatives and friends in the U. S., the girls had to work for their living. But as Americans they carefully chose non-war work. Christina (*left*), who is 24, worked

in a lawyer's office. Sybilla (*center*), 22, read proofs of scientific publications. Barbara, 31, was an assistant kindergarten supervisor. Their mother kept house for them, helped them fight the raging fires and kept their courage up. Their story proves that, under bombings, all peoples show courage, bitterness and anger.

THE CHIMNEYS OF LEIPZIG

THREE AMERICAN GIRLS TELL THE STORY OF HOW GERMANY'S THIRD LARGEST CITY WAS DESTROYED

by BARBARA, CHRISTINA AND SYBILLA KNAUTH

By Feb. 21 the German city of Leipzig (pop. 700,000) had been effectively "obliterated" by allied bombing. Some 90% of the city's installations were said to have been destroyed. Four heavy raids had done the job—three night attacks by British planes; one daylight raid by U.S. Fortresses and Liberators. It was the first time that a city of this size had been destroyed by air-power.

How the attacks affected the city as a living, thinking organism, however, was a story that only the people beneath the bombs could tell. In Leipzig, during these raids, were three American girls and their mother. They had known the city in peacetime and since the war began. They were interned and released on parole after spending a few months in a camp at Liebenau. They lived the life of Germany at war, without special privileges and also without hindrances beyond restriction to the city limits and weekly reports to the police. Because they lived the life of average Germans their story reflects the story of Germany since Pearl Harbor. This is their report of what they saw.

Christina: About a week before Pearl Harbor, the newspapers in Leipzig carried long stories about the tension between America and Japan. Our father at that time had gone back to the States on business. We had stayed in Germany because he expected to return again. Then, suddenly, it came. I can't remember clearly what the headlines were in the papers on Dec. 8, but I know they didn't say it was Japan that attacked America. We just heard all of a sudden that America and Japan were at war.

Sybilla: Then on Dec. 11 Hitler made a speech in which he declared war on America. I was in the university at a lecture and I could hear him on the radio in the next room. Later the professor came to me and said: "Well, Miss Knauth, now we are enemies." He said it in a half-joking half-serious way, but I didn't feel like joking at all. We were simply numb.

Christina: That morning there was a little notice in the papers saying that all Americans would have to report to the police station before noon. So we went over. The police were very nice to us, stamped our passports with a permit good for Leipzig only and sent us home again. Next day we got a postcard saying that we should report every Monday to our local police station and could not leave the city. Otherwise we were still free.

People everywhere were talking about the war and about America's being in it now. A lot of them were pessimistic, mostly the older people who remembered the last war and how America got in the third year too and how it ended. They thought that even if Hitler hadn't declared war, America would have come in anyway.

Christina: After the first excitement about America's coming in was over, the whole thing sort of died away again. The people didn't feel any change in their own lives. There was great excitement once though when the first U-boat was said to have entered New York harbor. We saw pictures of this in the newsreel, taken through the periscope, I guess, and it made us feel very queer.

But mostly people were occupied with other things. They were depressed about the war in Russia which seemed to have come to a standstill.

Then spring 1942 came and better weather and it was warm and in Russia the offensive began again. You could go swimming, to the movies and open-air concerts, there was enough food, though not quite as much because for the first time rations were cut.

Sybilla: We passed the summer living just like the rest of the people all around us, until September when we were interned. Christina had gone to Berlin to see about a job, and when she was there she had to report to the Berlin authorities. She had been there only a couple of days when the police told her she would be interned. Apparently in Berlin they were interning everybody, in Leipzig not.

She called us up and told us and we immediately asked to be interned too. Our one idea, you see, was to stay together. So we were all taken down to the camp at Liebenau near the Lake of Constance.

That camp was better than we ever expected. The guards were local people and friendly and the food—my goodness, we hadn't had such food for years! You see, we got Red Cross parcels from America every week, 11 pounds. The camp was in the country, it was run by nuns, and apart from the fact that we couldn't leave, it wasn't bad at all.

Dark days of Stalingrad

Christina: Then, a couple of months later we were released from the camp, just like that, and came back to Leipzig again. While we were in the camp Rommel was retreating across Africa, and when we came out the first news we had was that the rest of France was occupied. As far as I could make out from the papers it was because the Americans had landed in North Africa. This was exciting for us, of course, but for the rest of the people it didn't seem to be so much of a sensation.

Back in Leipzig, we settled down again to our jobs. In Russia, the German troops were before Stalingrad but it wasn't until February that there was definite news of what was happening there. Then came the special announcement, on the first or second of February I think, that Stalingrad was lost. There were three days mourning after this, no movies, no amusements of any kind, no red headlines in the papers, only black.

The loss of Stalingrad depressed people very much. There was a lot of talk about it, how it had happened, whose fault it was and so forth. It was winter again, too, and in winter everything seems more depressing. People were pessimistic and losing hope, but they were getting a kind of grimness, too, that they hadn't had before.

Sybilla: That winter passed, but when spring 1943 came it didn't bring the same kind of relief that it usually did. The war was getting worse. The army was going back and back. The heavy air attacks began again, on the Rhineland and other parts of Germany. After the end of the campaigns in Africa there was a sort of lull. Then some time in July we heard that American troops had landed in Sicily, and later all of Sicily was lost too.

At that time came the overthrow of Mussolini and the surrender of Italy and there was terrible bitterness in Germany against the Italians. For a long time people had felt that Italy was just a burden to the Germans and now came the surrender by Badoglio and the King and Mussolini was put in prison. Badoglio was looked on as the lowest of low people and there was hate and contempt for the Italians who had betrayed Germany again.

Barbara: About that time an entirely new attitude toward the war slowly began to form: it's difficult to explain it, but people began to feel that they would have to defend their own country against the enemy, that the enemy was getting close and that the war might last a long time.

Terrible tales from Hamburg

Christina: Our life in Leipzig was still normal, we hadn't had any excitement or bombs, and we felt really safe. But the people from Hamburg had seen the war and they told terrible stories.

They had the whole Reich divided up into places in danger of being raided and provinces which would take people who had been bombed out or who wanted to evacuate from endangered areas. Saxony, where Leipzig is, was a refuge for Hamburg and, when the big raids came on Hamburg, the people from there came down to us.

They had lost everything. It was difficult keeping harmony between the bombed-outs and the people to whom they were sent. The difference in their feelings caused quite a lot of friction here and there. For instance, the old dislike between Prussians and Bavarians got worse when Berliners were evacuated to Munich and other places.

Some of the things we heard from Hamburg were awful. There were whole districts there, we heard, that had been declared dead, where there was no living thing at all. The bombs did terrible work. The thing we dreaded most after hearing the stories from Hamburg was the phosphorus. It was the beginning of the *Phosphorkampf*, the battle against phosphorus. We didn't know what it was like yet, but it sounded awful.

Sybilla: In August, after they began evacuating Berlin, we started getting our cellar ready. It was full of boxes and barrels left after our moving from Berlin. We sold all those easily. We got the place completely cleaned up and ready.

The worst thing about those days was waiting. I remember we used to say to ourselves that if we were going to be raided we wanted to get it over with, like a dentist appointment. September came and went and nothing happened. We worked, kept house, slept, went to the movies now and then; everything was still the same.

Christina: But on Oct. 20 came the first planned attack on Leipzig. I mean, this attack was a *Terrorangriff*, a really heavy raid, and it was meant for our city.

It came about 8 o'clock in the evening, very early. When the sirens went off we grabbed our suitcases and went downstairs. We didn't have any premonitions about this alarm, it was just like all the rest in the beginning. Not everybody went down, but we did.

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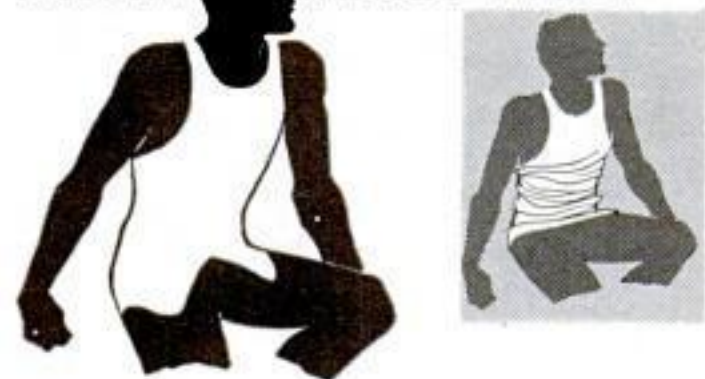
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LEIPZIG (continued)

For quite a while we sat in the cellar and nothing happened. So I decided to go upstairs for a look.

I went out onto the balcony and I saw a beautiful sight. Away over in the northeast there were many searchlights. They were looking frantically for a plane, waving all over the sky.

The next time I went up I heard planes. I was just starting down the cellar stairs when I heard this awful noise. It was a sort of gurgle, a *wrrau-wrrau-wrrau*—not like a whistle or a swish, but awful, like something very big cracking the air. The next second it hit. Half from the pressure, half from panic, I simply sailed down those stairs!

One more big bomb came down, with the same terrible noise, and also hit pretty close to us. Our cellar shook, but we had no damage. After that, it was quiet in our district again.

Barbara: That raid was queer, in a way. From what we could make out it hit only a corner of the city, over in the east. The rest of Leipzig was hardly touched, but the countryside beyond the eastern district was simply plowed up.

That raid kind of divided the Leipzigers among themselves. Like the difference between evacuees from bombed towns and the people who hadn't been bombed. The people in the east had felt it, the rest hadn't. You could even sense the feeling on the streetcars coming from the bombed districts.

But the raid changed some things. Most people, we included, now finally bought gas masks. Theaters and movies had to close by 8:30. No public meetings were allowed after 8:30, and most people, for a while at least, were home by then.

Serial raids on Berlin

Christina: The fall of 1943 the weather was simply beautiful. Day after day, up to November, the sun shone in a clear blue sky, the trees turned golden and the air was fresh and cool. As often as we could we went out to the near-by countryside on bicycles, or walked. It was lovely.

Our daily life, like that of most Germans I guess, was pretty much routine. We had breakfast early, about a quarter to 7—usually some cereal-like rye meal mixed with water, skimmed milk and sugar, then black bread or rolls, marmalade and sometimes a little butter. We drank *ersatz* coffee made of malt. We took sandwiches along for lunch. Mother made us very good sandwich spreads with yeast, flour, a little fat or margarine, a little sausage and spices. For dinner we had potatoes, vegetables and now and then a little meat. We usually saved most of that for Sundays.

Christina: Then, at the end of November, came the *Serienangriffe*, serial raids, on Berlin. We had alarms almost nightly then. They changed our lives completely.

Everything of a public nature in the city had to be finished by 7 o'clock. Movies had to close by 7. The opera began in the early afternoon—I went to *Die Walküre* once and it started at 2:30. We usually ate our supper at 6 so that we could be all finished and have the dishes washed by 7.

We began to listen to the radio constantly in the evening. We



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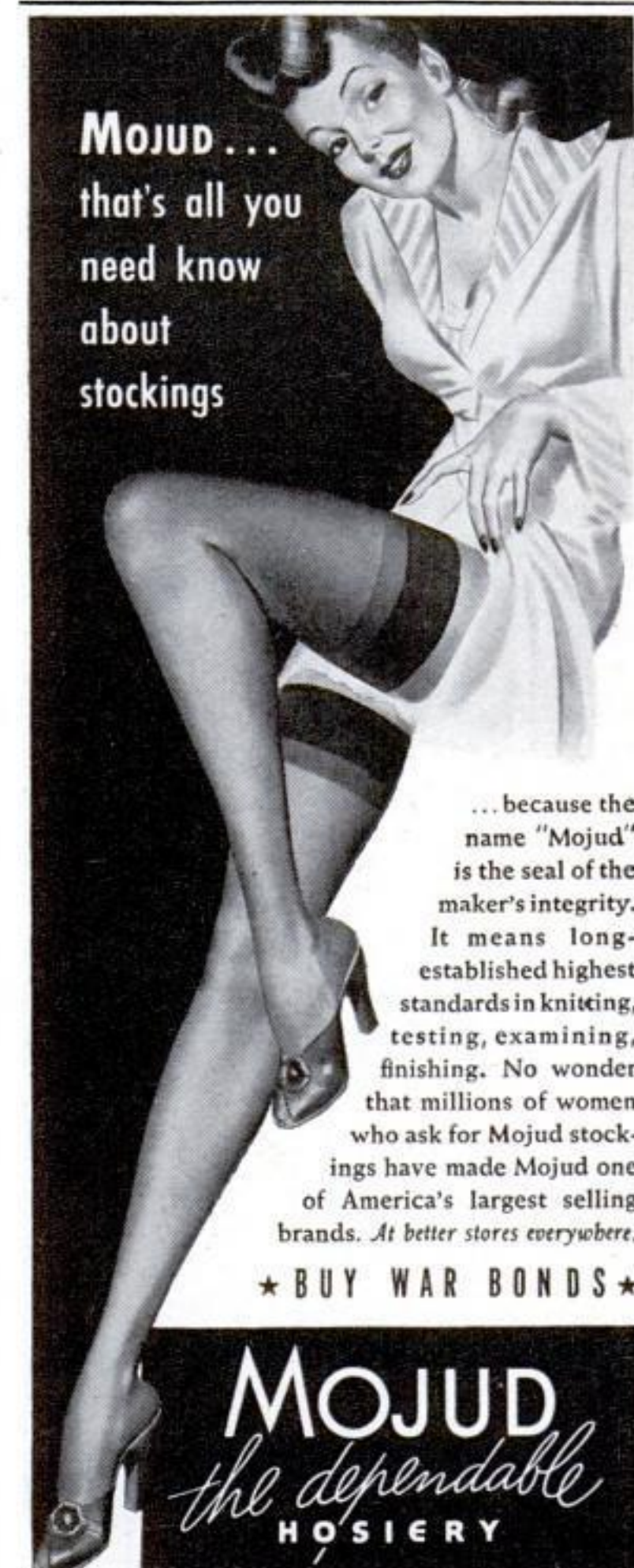
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First big raid blows open door of the cellar air-raid shelter, piles up debris, fills the air with acrid smoke. The raid lasted 25 minutes, started huge fires all over the city.

LEIPZIG (continued)

kept it on all the time, turned down low, so we could hear if it stopped. If it did, that meant *Luftgefahr*, air danger, and then we would get ready, pack our little suitcases, put on our warm clothes. Then we just sat and waited. We weren't idle—we sewed, or read, or did something; but we were on the alert.

What we heard from Berlin gave us a feeling of dread. We subscribed to a Berlin newspaper and we could judge a lot from that. For days it wouldn't appear at all and then when it came it was just one folded page with columns and columns of instructions: where Berliners should go if they were bombed out, how they should get food and shelter and so on. Then there were columns of death notices, too, of people killed in raids.

The evening of Dec. 3 was cold, windy and overcast. It was a perfect night for bombing. We were sure we would have an alarm, but we thought it would be Berlin again.

The alarm came at about 3:45 a.m. I just heard it in my dreams. I asked Sybilla if she was getting up. She said no, that it was probably some fellow who had been pushed off his course, no real alarm.

Luckily Mother and Barbara had gotten up. I was mad at them because they turned on the light in the hall and it shone right into our room so I had to get up and pull down the blackout curtains. I was just getting into bed again when I heard a distant grumbling. I thought, well, there's the flak, we'd better get up.

Sybilla was getting up, too, and getting dressed. We still slept in pajamas then. I had just stuck my foot out of bed when SWIIISH!! I heard this whistling noise, then WUUUUB!! right next to us. I grabbed my coat, slippers and suitcase and ran. Sybilla just pulled on a coat, and with nothing but that and her slippers, came tearing after me. Barbara and Mother had the presence of mind to take their gas masks and blankets. I forgot mine completely.

First bomb crashes down

Sybilla: That first bomb brought everybody down. From then on the bombs fell without stopping. The noise was something awful. The bombs crashed and shook the house, some of them whistled, some of them shrieked, and all the time there was the gurgling noise of the *Phosphorkanister*, the phosphorous bombs, which we could hear clearly.

In 25 minutes it was all over and the crashing of the bombs stopped. In our cellar the light was still burning.

We looked up. Sometime during the raid the cellar door had burst open. The windows were shattered, in spite of the bricks outside. The cellar was full of smoke and smoke was rolling in through the door.

In the silence after the bombs we began to hear the crackling of fires, and then we saw the red glow through the door. When I realized what had happened, I got absolutely panicky. I thought, my God, we will be burned alive down here.

Christina: But we did get out all right. Sybilla and I ran right out. There were fires upstairs but they were still small and we got them out. Then the air-raid warden yelled down for someone to come up to the roof, there was a fire on the roof next door. When we climbed up there, we saw a sight of awful beauty. It was terrible, really, but it was beautiful too. There was fire everywhere. The air was full

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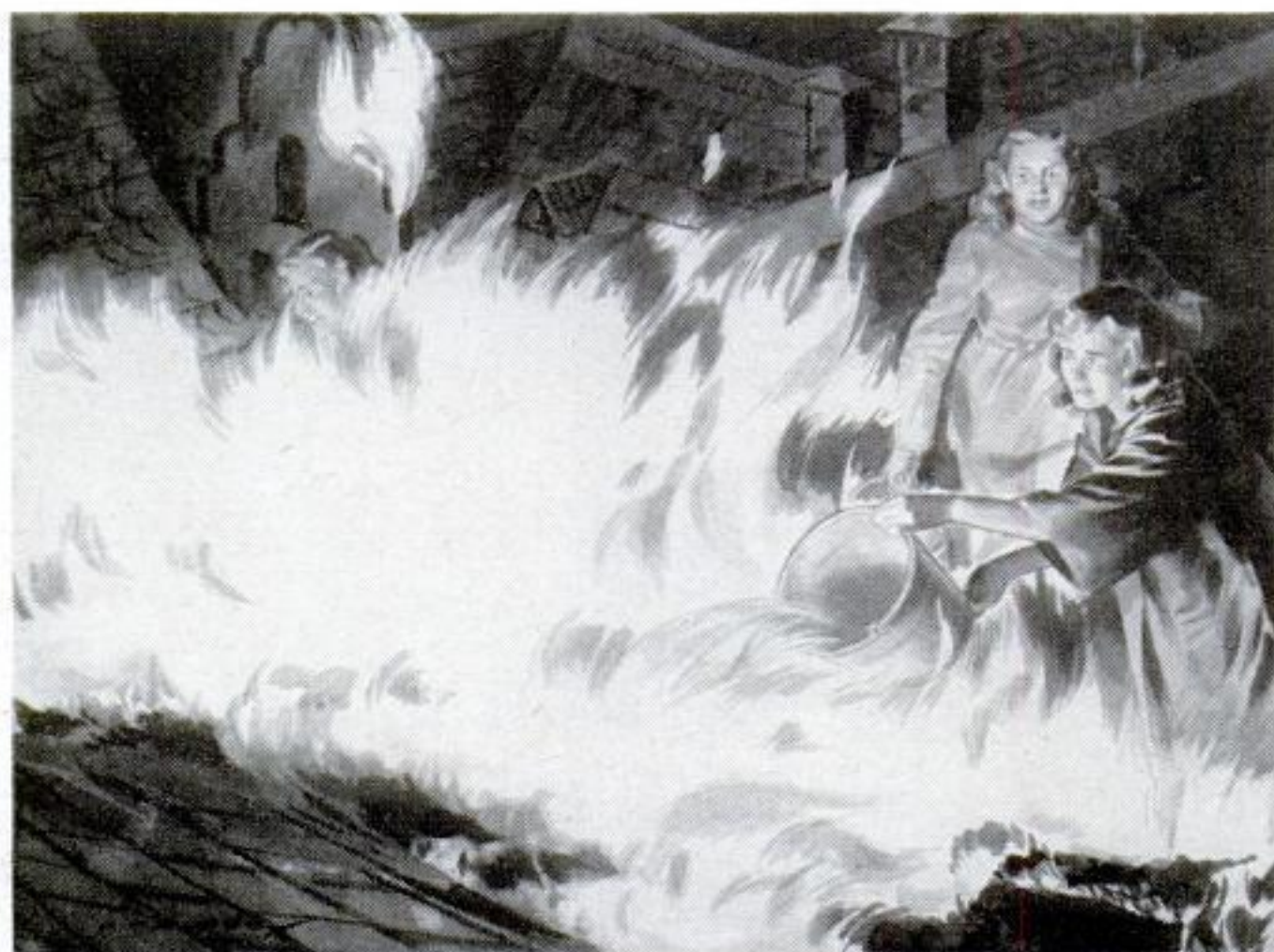


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Biggest raid, on Feb. 20, made streets and houses shake and bend like rubber. It took girls six frantic hours to put out stubborn upstairs fire caused by phosphorous bombs.

LEIPZIG (continued)

of sparks and smoke, and now and then a roof would collapse in a tower of fire. There was a terrific wind, a roaring, rushing wind because of the draught of all these fires.

That was our first heavy air raid and the first big one to hit Leipzig as a whole. It changed the life in the city completely. Of course, large parts of Leipzig were really destroyed, burned out completely. People worked day and night to dig things out of the ruins, to rebuild damaged homes, to clean up rubbish. We wore our ski suits now all the time, we even slept in them. We learned to cook on a doll's little electric kitchen stove that I still had from America, bought at Macy's, because the gas was out all the time. Big things we cooked on a coal stove in the apartment upstairs.

Biggest raid comes Feb. 20

Sybilla: But the biggest raid came later, nearly two months later. It was in the night of Feb. 19, a Saturday. After supper we sat around talking, reading, mending and so on, a comfortable evening at home, you might say. We went to bed about midnight. The alarm came at about quarter to four in the morning—sirens going off and siren cars rushing through the streets. We got up as usual, took our things and hurried down to the cellar. Down there it was quiet for almost three-quarters of an hour. So we all thought, well, Berlin is getting it again; thank God it isn't us.

As usual, the three men who lived in the house had gone outside to keep watch. They always looked sort of funny, those three. One was a plump, comfortable sort of man; the other was small, a little hunchbacked, very quiet and reserved; the third a younger man, who had three children. He had been a soldier but now he was an engineer. He was a trained worker, you know, so they took him out of the army and he had a position in some factory.

They came in again after about three-quarters of an hour and said everything was all right. One of them went out again in a few minutes, then came back almost immediately and said: "Oh, oh, they just set Christmas trees—flares."

He was barely inside the door when the bombs came. They were very near. There weren't just a few of them, but a whole bunch all together. From then on, for nearly an hour, they came incessantly.

The noise was just beyond words. The house shook and shook. First it would sway from side to side, then it would sort of jump, then it would sway and jump together. My knees kept bouncing up and down off the floor.

We never seemed to hear waves of planes, they were just there all the time, all at once. This time we were sitting, holding each other tight with our heads down on our chests. I couldn't really think at all, but I remember once hearing Christina yell: "There's a bomb coming, open your mouths!" She had seen or read somewhere that soldiers open their mouths when they fire off cannon.

It had never been this bad before. The house was like rubber, bending back and forth, the floor rising up and down like waves. Nobody talked, nobody screamed. It was quiet as a mouse in the cellar except for the bombs. Even the children were quiet. The people just sat there with their heads bowed, looking as though they were praying.

In the middle of the raid, after about half an hour, we suddenly



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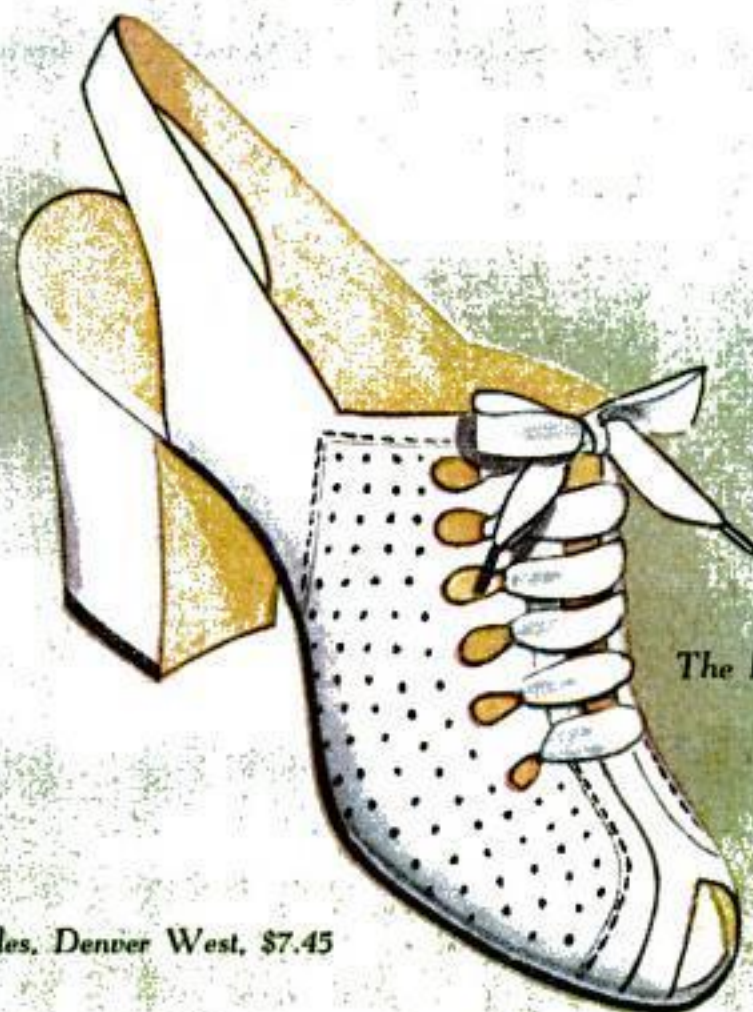


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LEIPZIG (continued)

heard the front door bang open and somebody came running down the hall and down the stairs into the cellar. It was our air-raid warden. He shouted to us that there was a fire upstairs and we should go up in the first lull.

About 15 minutes later the bombs ended, just stopped. The all clear came almost right away. We rushed upstairs. We looked into all the floors as we went up. First and second floors were O.K. On the third floor a food closet was burning in the kitchen. The stairway to the fourth floor was burning too. We saw that it hadn't been weakened, so we ran past the flames to the top floor. There it was really bad, burning like a torch.

Sybilla: So we started fighting the fire and in the end we did get it out. It was a terrible job. We fought it from the roof next door, hacking holes into our roof, and we fought it from below, throwing water up from the stairs and gradually getting up to it. It was fearful work, but the house was saved.

Sometime then I realized that it should be daylight outside but it wasn't. All that day the sun never got through the smoke and soot and ashes flying through the air. It was twilight all the time, a sort of yellowish-brown twilight that stung your eyes and your throat when you breathed. Once I saw the sky through a hole in the smoke. It was clear and blue, but we never knew, except for that, what kind of a day it was.

Death penalty for plundering

Christina: Later that day we went out to check on the city and see whether the places where we worked were still okay. There were fires everywhere. At least two houses were burning on every street we came through, usually many more. I had to make one detour after another where streets were completely blocked. It was very difficult walking, piles of rubbish everywhere, people streaming along the streets out of town, many still fighting fires, others carrying things, still others digging for the dead.

All along the streets were piles of things people had carried or thrown out of their houses. Some were silly things with no value at all—ashtrays, dolls, boxes of this and that, half a bed, half a table, half a clock. Most of the piles already had strings sort of tied around them to fence them off.

We had decided, after the December raid, that we would try to save only our bedding and the suitcases we had in the cellar. We thought it was silly to take furniture out; it would stand around in the streets for days and get rained on and then dry again and you had to keep a watch all the time against plundering.

Plundering was punished by death, but it still happened. One of the first things after every raid was that the police put up signs in five languages warning that plunderers would be shot. Later you would see white placards with the names of people caught plundering. People were scared of the foreign workers, too. Some of them would plunder their apartments while they were in the cellar. There was always a lot of confusion, of course, after a raid and it was easy to do that sort of thing.

On my way to my office I came to the Johannapark. That's a big park pretty much in the center of town. The place was simply littered with bomb casings, splinters, incendiaries. There were no craters at

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all. Only in one place all the treetops were sheared off. I guess a high explosive bomb must have hit a tree and gone off, blasting all the tops around. The park was full of people carrying things, getting away from the fires. I kept thinking of the movie *San Francisco*—it was exactly like that, after the earthquake. Everything was burning, and people were walking around with shocked faces and the whole city seemed to be wrecked.

Finally I came to the street where my office was. There were houses burning on both sides. They were burning terrifically. I would have to go between them to reach the office.

I couldn't make up my mind whether to risk it or not. One of the houses was leaning and I was afraid it would fall on me. I finally took my heart in both hands and ran. I went tearing down the middle of the street past the fires and then I saw the office.

It was just absolutely filled with fire. I could see right through the wavy white-hot heat, from one side to the other. There just couldn't be anything left in it at all, so I decided I would go home again, there was no use in my staying there.

All this time I was on foot. There were no streetcars running at all that I could see. The streets were absolutely jammed with people, bicycles, trucks, handcarts, wagons, all leaving town. Here and there were fire engines that had been brought to Leipzig from other cities.

On the way back I went past the *Reichsgericht*, the Supreme Court, which was one of the places where bombed-out people could get first aid. They would tell what the damage was and then they would get a certificate. Three kinds of certificates were issued, on yellow slips of paper marked with a big A, B or C. A meant light damage, B was for medium damage, C total loss. Everybody damaged got 50 marks right away, a good strong meal and clothes if they needed it. Later on they could get ration coupons to recover what was lost and help and materials to rebuild their place.

The organizations for bomb-damage worked wonders. It was all in the hands of the Party and the work of these organizations won the Party a lot of prestige again. It was all done about as quickly as it could possibly be done and people were taken care of in some way at least right away, even if it was only with tents and field kitchens.

Leipzig burning at night

Sybilla: When we all got home again it was getting to be evening. We had a terrible feeling as it began to get dark. We were full of dread and sick to our stomachs. We thought maybe we would have serial attacks like on Berlin, that they would come again tonight. We divided up the night watch among ourselves and then brought our bedding into the living room and set the alarm and tried to sleep. But we couldn't sleep.

When it came our turn to go on watch at midnight, Christina and I went upstairs again to see if any phosphorus had started up again. We saw that everything was okay and then went on up to the very top, where the roof wasn't burned.

It was a terrible view from there. The center of the city was still burning brightly and so were many of the neighboring houses. We were so used to a blackout that all this light frightened us. We thought the planes would come again and have the firelight to bomb by.

We stayed on the roof until our relief came and then went down to try and sleep on the living room carpet. Afterward we gradually tried to get used to the changed conditions. In the streets there was a constant stream of people, going in and out of town all the time. It was really like an ant heap that has been stirred up with a stick. Everywhere the people walked and walked, carrying things out, carrying things back in, carting off rubbish, doing everything under the sun. This constant procession in the streets lasted for at least ten days before it began to ebb off. All the people were on foot, because no trolley cars were running and of course practically nobody in Germany had cars because gasoline is so tightly rationed.

Everywhere, too, you saw people digging in the ruins for things they wanted to save. Three weeks after the raid I saw a woman digging out jars of preserves which were still good. Mostly people were shoveling out coal, sorting it from the rubble, because coal was so precious. All the time you could see workmen and soldiers passing through the streets.

Barbara: The big raid in December had already sort of sifted the population though, because a lot of people left then for the country, so this time the evacuation really wasn't as large. Most of the people who were still in Leipzig were people who really felt like fighting for their homes, even for only parts of them if that was all that was left. Some of them fought like mad to save only one room of a four-

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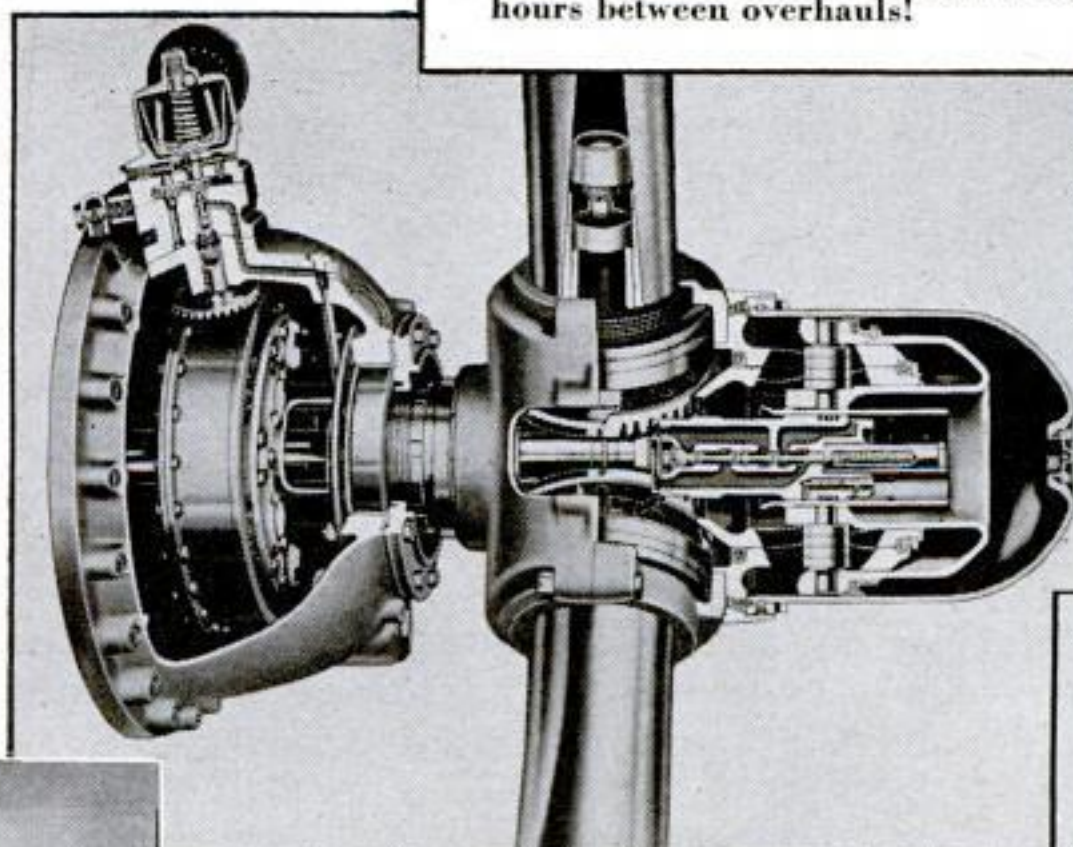
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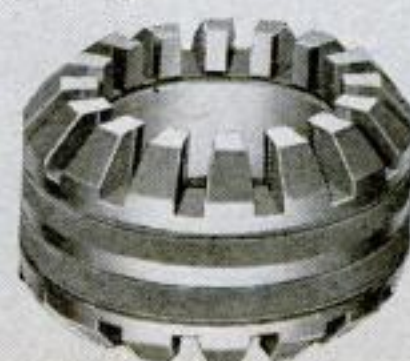
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LEIPZIG (continued)

or five-room place and I guess having fought so hard they just didn't want to leave what they had saved.

The raids did change the character of the city, morally I mean, entirely. The most immediate thing was that everybody became talkative and friendly and companionable. Leipzigers were never that before, but they were now. You wouldn't have thought they would change so quickly. Everybody helped everybody else; they had to, of course, but somehow they seemed to want to—to draw closer to their neighbors so that they would have company and not feel alone.

This sort of thing was what the Leipzigers, before they were bombed, used to resent from others, Berliners, Rhinelanders, Hamburgers and so on, who had been through heavy raids. They thought that the jokes and camaraderie of the bombed people was affected; now they were that way themselves. That's the way people get when they come to the edge of the grave and still are alive—the relief and the common danger and need of each other changes them completely.

"Gee, it's quite a mess."

Sybilla: You know, after that big raid and the daylight one, there were a lot of British and Canadian soldiers working in the street right in front of our house. We saw them all the time and wanted to talk to them, but we didn't dare because there were guards there all the time. Once, though, I was passing a crater on my bicycle where there was a Canadian boy working—he was really just a boy, he looked 16 years old—and there was no guard so I leaned over and called: "Hello, old man, how are you?"

You should have seen his face. He looked up and just said: "Hunh?" and his jaw dropped right down on his shirt. He was so surprised he couldn't say a word.

Christina: Yes, and a couple of days later I was walking along and there were some fellows working in one of the craters where the gas had blown up again. I stopped and looked into the hole and one of them looked up at me. He was British, I think. I said: "Gee, it's quite a mess, isn't it?" He looked back at me for a minute and then he said: "It sure is, quite a mess." He said it just as serious as anything.

Some of the workers came to clean up the burned-out parts. They threw all the rubbish out into the street and fixed the stairs, which were inches deep in ice. By Friday the house was pretty well in shape again, though of course the people of the top floor couldn't move back in. In the rear there was no roof at all, and the front was full of holes.

Friday morning we got a Red Cross letter from my father, the first we had had in over a year. That afternoon a Gestapo man came and told us there was a transport leaving Munich for America in 48 hours and if we wanted to take it we should be ready by the next afternoon.

Barbara: When we got that letter I was so excited that when we went out to get sand I told one of the Britishers working out there about it, how we hadn't heard for over a year, and how we had a new nephew, a second grandson for my mother. Those poor guys, they were so interested, and envious, too. They said they didn't get much mail and they were homesick, they had been away so long.

Sybilla: We packed all that night in a terrible rush. Saturday afternoon our luggage was ready and Christina and I carted it through

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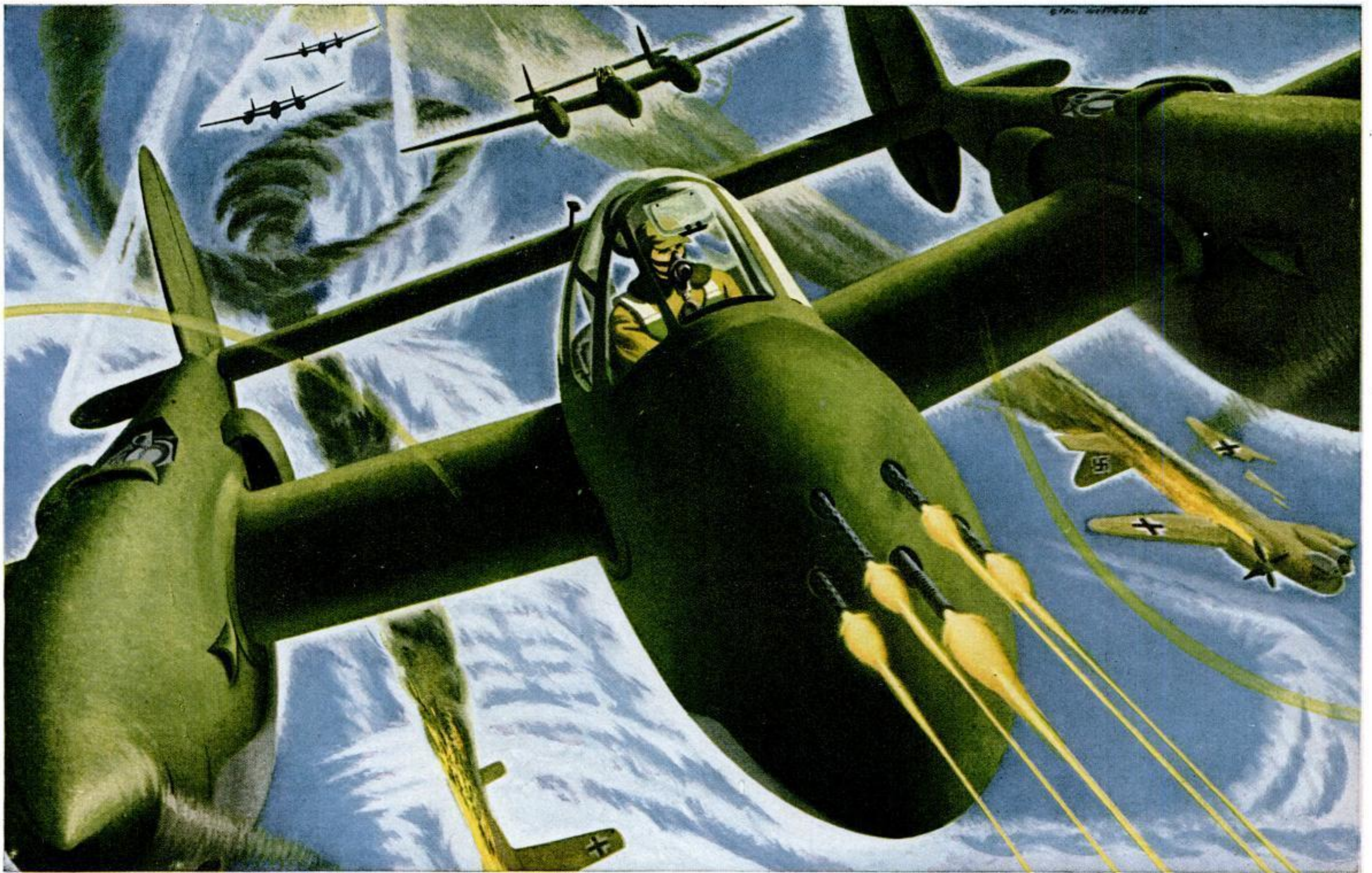


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the city to the station. That was our farewell trip through Leipzig, sorting our things through the ruins.

We passed familiar places that were piles of rubbish now. We went past districts where there was no living any more. We remembered how sometimes we had passed there in the early dark, and how these places we knew had become spooky and frightening. In these districts there was nobody, nobody at all. It was completely quiet, at times when there was a wind some bricks would fall down or a beam of something and the sudden noise would make you jump. In one place, I remembered, there was a lot of coal stored in a deep cellar and for weeks it burned underneath the piles of stones and bricks. In the darkness you would walk by and see the flames flickering down there as if somebody was caught and signaling for help, only there was no living thing at all.

We came past the Augustusplatz, the big square in the heart of the town where the opera was, the 12-story building that the Leipzigers called their "skyscraper." It was a dump for rubbish now that was brought there in big trucks from all over the city or on little rail-cars laid through the bombed-up streets. About half of it was full of rubbish now.

On the Augustusplatz every single building was burned out, but the walls were still standing. It gave you a queer feeling. For instance, you could see the main post office still looking absolutely intact, even the little statues along the road. Then you would walk to the door and look up and you looked right up into the sky.

Christina: They were still blasting as we walked through the city for the last time, and everywhere the people were hurrying about the business of repair. The activity of reconstruction began almost at once. There were regular spring-cleanings going on all over. The city looked destroyed, in ruins, but the people were alive and building up again with what they had. They were doing it, too, in a mood of anger against the bombings and with a sense of companionship that actually gave the people a higher morale than before the bombs fell. The war by then had created the feeling that Germany was at bay—against the bombings, against the Russians and against the peoples of the countries Germany had conquered. With the older people it might be different but most Germans seemed ready to fight and hold against anything that might come.

Then we left. We came through Regensburg and it had just been raided by daylight. We got to Munich and it had been raided too. At Munich we joined the train of American internees from Laufen, a camp nearby. Our last sight of Germany was burning Augsburg. We passed through it just after a raid and we rode, it seemed, through walls of flame. With that memory we fell asleep and the next day we were across the border and in France.

Barbara: The last thing I remember about Leipzig is turning back for one more look as we went in the station, which in all these raids had somehow remained absolutely untouched except that the windows were blown out. From the station door I could see across the wide square where the trolley tracks used to be and the lines of taxis, and beyond it across the little park with its blasted trees, to the business center. Everywhere I looked lay the ruins of the city, heaps of stone and rubbish with only the chimneys sticking out like fingers up into the twilight sky. The chimneys hardly ever fall down.



Back in the U.S. Sibylla and Christina, like all Americans when they return from abroad, went immediately to the local drugstore, ordered double chocolate malted milk shakes.

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JENNIFER JONES AND GINGER ROGERS HELP SHIRLEY WITH FLOWERS. CASTS AND CREW MEMBERS OF SHIRLEY'S NEW PICTURES SENT ROSES WITH CORSAGES DECORATING EACH BOX

David Selznick, with whom Shirley signed a seven-year contract in 1943, gave her a silver bracelet. This was only honest-to-goodness present; others were mostly gags.



Mary Lou Isleib, Shirley's stand-in since 1935, is also her best friend. They started working together when they were both 7, played jacks and dressed their dolls on the set while waiting between takes.



Life Goes to Shirley Temple's Birthday Party

At 16 she has a grown-up
party on the studio lot

Shirley Jane Temple was born in Santa Monica, Calif. 16 years ago. Last month she celebrated this anniversary with an ice-cream-and-cake party on the studio lot. Her guests were cast and crew members who came when they quit work at 6 o'clock, and the fun ended promptly at 7 to abide by the ruling of the state school board. It was a far cry from previous Temple birthday parties, attended by hundreds of children and marked by such gifts as ponies and bicycles and miniature roller-coasters. But the simple celebration was one indication that Shirley had grown up and had to work on her birthday the same as anyone else.

Another was the changed look of Shirley, who last appeared two years ago before a public that liked best to remember her as the chubby moppet of *Bright Eyes* and *The Littlest Rebel*. Since 1940 she has made only two pictures, and her admirers will hardly be prepared for the Shirley who is 16. Curls and dimples are still there, but the chubbiness has been exchanged for pleasing curves and a certain shyness that suggests she is not altogether unaware of her new and charming self.

Shirley's life is still carefully supervised. She rises at 7:30 to be on the set by 9. She must have three hours of school before 4 o'clock, after which she works at the studio until 6. She goes on dates unchaperoned. Her favorite beaux are in the services but one admirer followed the Temples to Palm Springs and camped out in a tent so he could see Shirley every day. Shirley, however, who has had more attention and adulation in her 16 years than any other little girl in the U. S., is not easily impressed. Her first concern right now is to make good in two new films: *Since You Went Away* and *With All My Heart*. If she does she will be one of the few child stars to achieve comparable success as an adult.



SHIRLEY AT 16 IS 5 FT. 1½ IN. TALL AND WEIGHS A NICELY DISTRIBUTED 100 LB. HAIR IS CHESTNUT, EYES ARE HAZEL



Jack-in-the-box releasing paper balls was Joe Cotten's present. Shirley, who is a complete extrovert, loves gags and jokes.



Trick hat made of chicken feathers was given Shirley by Ginger Rogers. They are playing together in *With All My Heart*.



Monty Woolley slyly presented her with a copy of *Life Begins at 40*. Life for Shirley began long before that (see next page).



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Shirley Temple's Birthday Party (continued)



"Stand Up and Cheer" (1934) was first picture to make Shirley famous, at 6. Before that she had played the bit part of a toddler in Fox's *Carolina* with Janet Gaynor.



"Little Miss Marker" (1934) with Menjou was tear-jerker which won Shirley plaudits as a "seasoned actress." She signed \$150 (a week) Fox contract with an "X."



"The Littlest Rebel" (1935) paired Shirley with Dancer Bill Robinson, whom she deeply admires. Hoops and ruffles set off her famous curls and dimples to advantage.



"Captain January" (1936) gave Shirley ample songs and dances, without which her pictures would be incomplete. Her fan mail now numbered 3,500 letters per week.

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RATIONING
came over on *The Mayflower*



THEY RATIONED EVERYTHING

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Shirley Temple's Birthday Party (continued)



"Heidi" (1937) found Shirley at 9 entering the critical period for child stars. But she was still (1935-8) No. 1 U.S. box-office attraction and making \$400,000 a year.



"Little Miss Broadway" (1938) gave Shirley the support of 10 stars, a story written specially for her. Her dancing with George Murphy was compared to Rogers-Astaire.



"Young People" (1940) was Shirley's 22nd and final picture for Fox. At 12 she started going to a girls' day school and at 14 made another picture: *Miss Annie Rooney*.



Shirley blew out 16 pink candles with traditional one puff, kept her birthday wish carefully to herself. She wears the provocative openwork dress in her next picture.

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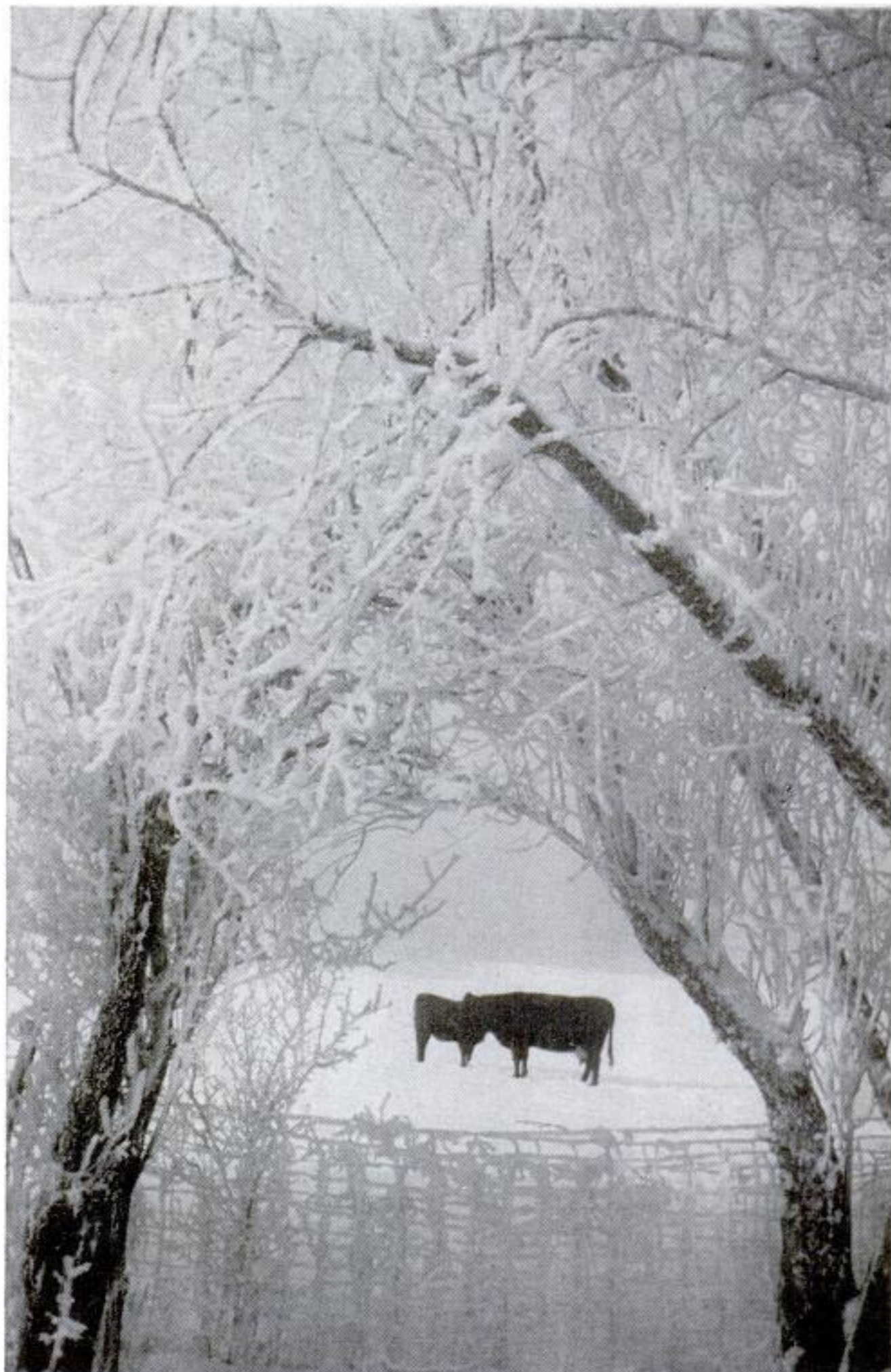
WINTRY ARTISTRY

Sirs:

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MRS. E. S. CARLSON
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FLIGHT PATTERNS

Sirs:

These neat little patterns in the snow were made by the wings of a crow as it took off in flight. Note the heavy indentations made by the right wing on the sec-

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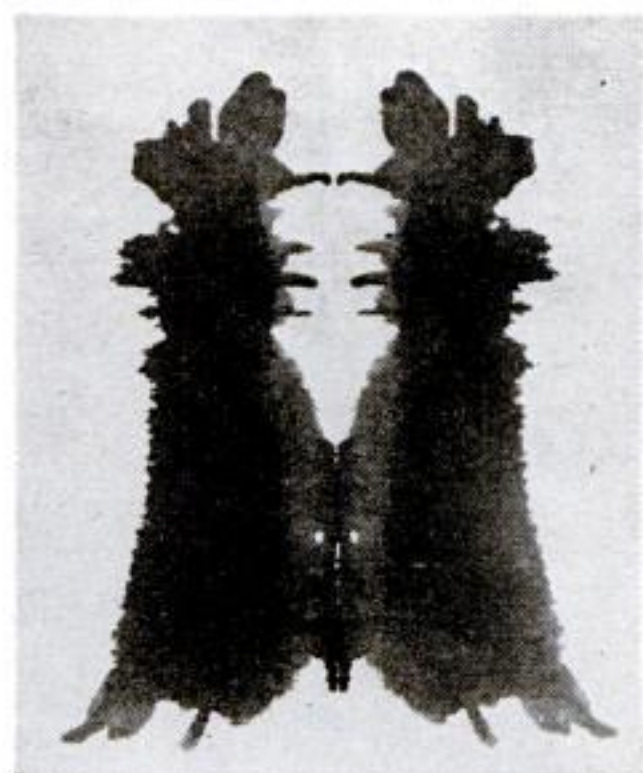
INK SPOTS

Sirs:

Almost every child has at one time or another put a drop of ink in the crease of a folded piece of paper, pressed it together firmly and marveled at the strange and surprising results. I thought LIFE readers might be interested in these pictures, in which the ink spots have turned into some unusually realistic pictures.

MRS. A. O. ALDRICH

Grafton, W. Va.



HERE ARE TWO LITTLE OLD LADIES



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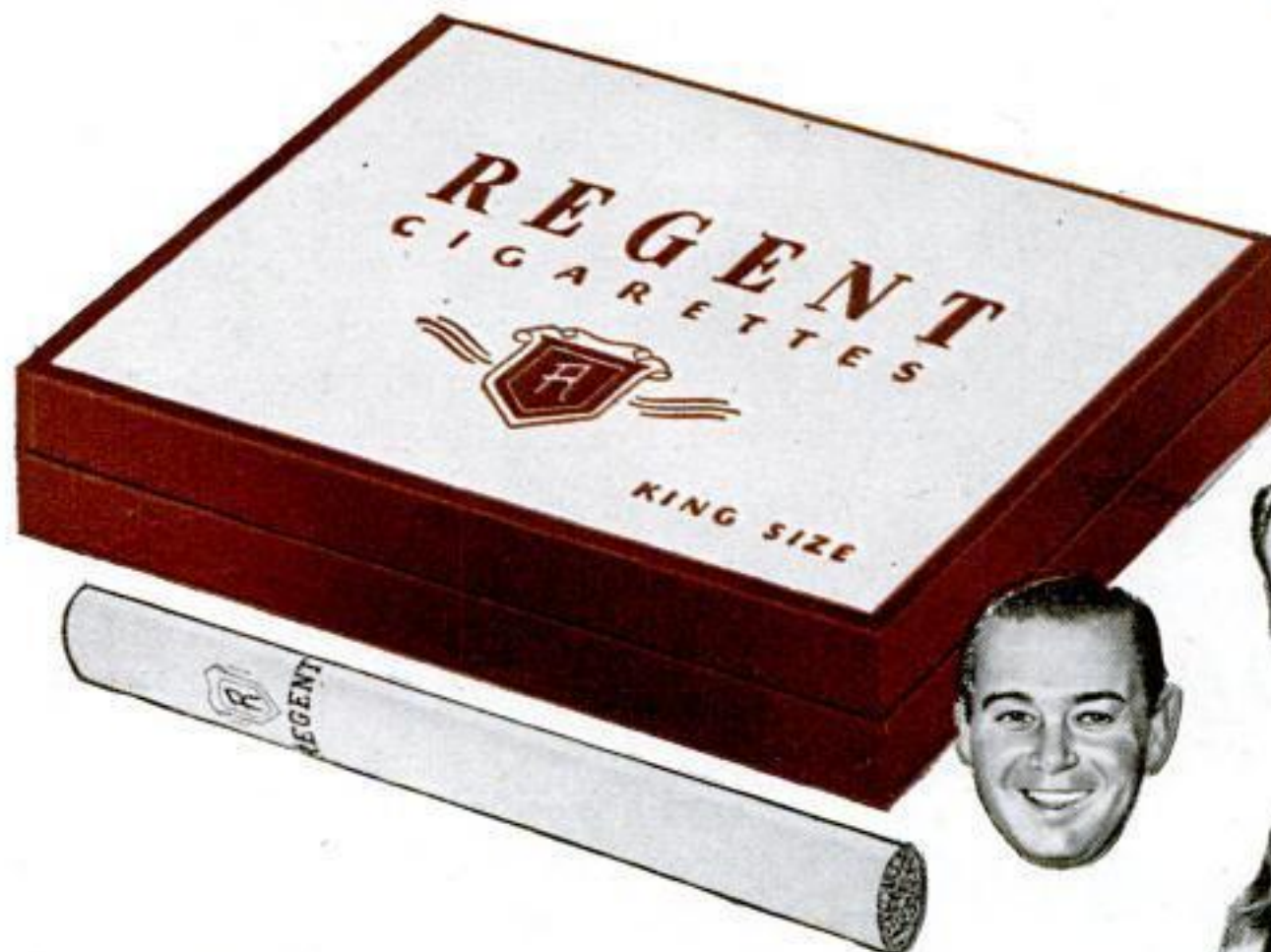
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THE VANISHING NUTS

Sirs:

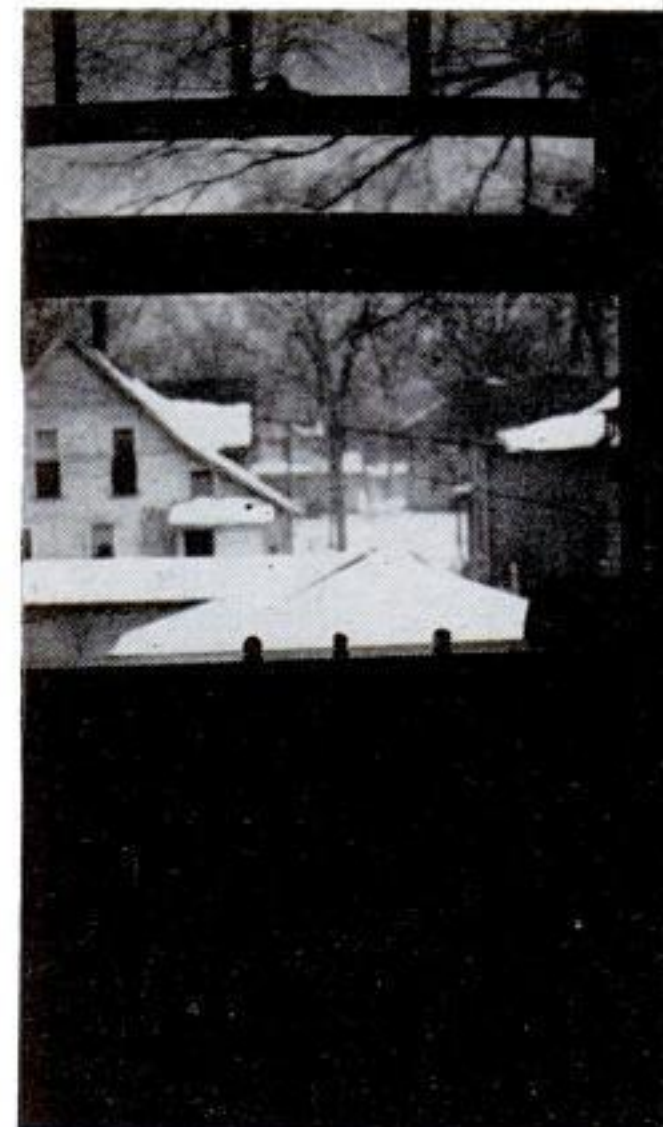
These pictures show the progress of a squirrel friend of ours through three nuts. In the first picture the squirrel is just appearing, silhouetted, in the lower right-hand corner of the window. The nuts are ranged along the sill. In the next three he progresses from nut to nut. And in the final shot he appears to have settled down for a little after-dinner nap before attempting the trip home.

The creature was a regular visitor to our second-story apartment. He must have been unusually hungry because, to reach the window sill, he had to make his way up the sheer brick wall of the building.

We always used to leave squirrel fare out for the little visitor, and one day we thought it might be interesting to try to catch him with the camera. These pictures are the result.

ARTHUR J. SMITH

Yankton, S. D.



SQUIRREL APPEARS, SEES THREE NUTS



ONE IS DEMOLISHED BY HIS ADVANCE



TWO NUTS DOWN, ONE MORE TO GO

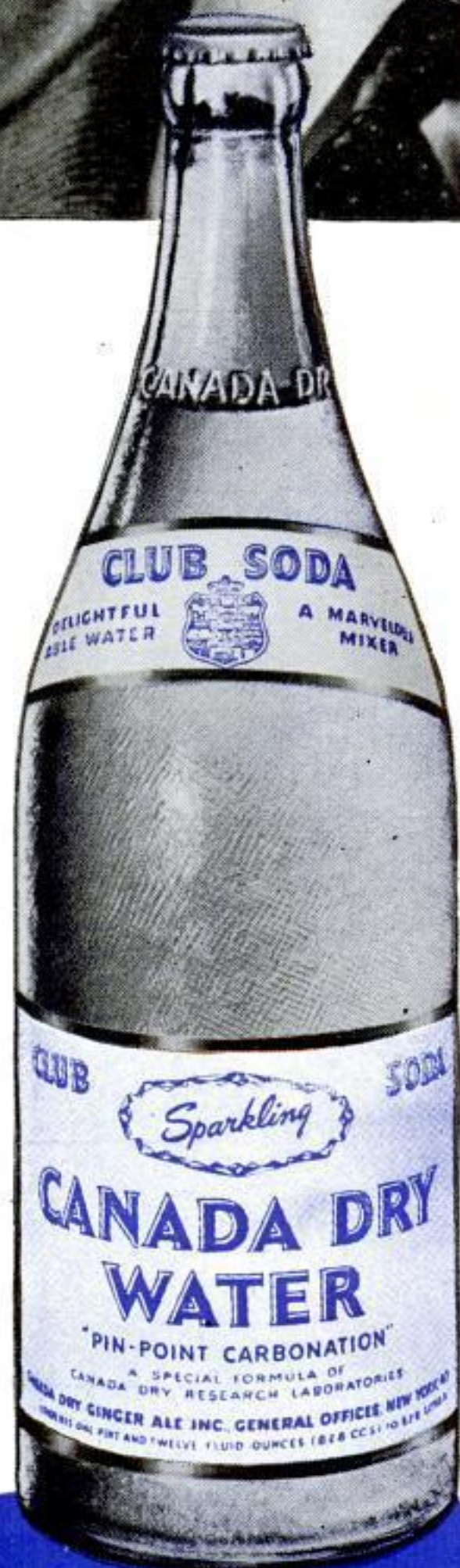


LAST NUT VANISHES DOWN THE HATCH



DINER INDULGES IN A DIGESTIVE NAP

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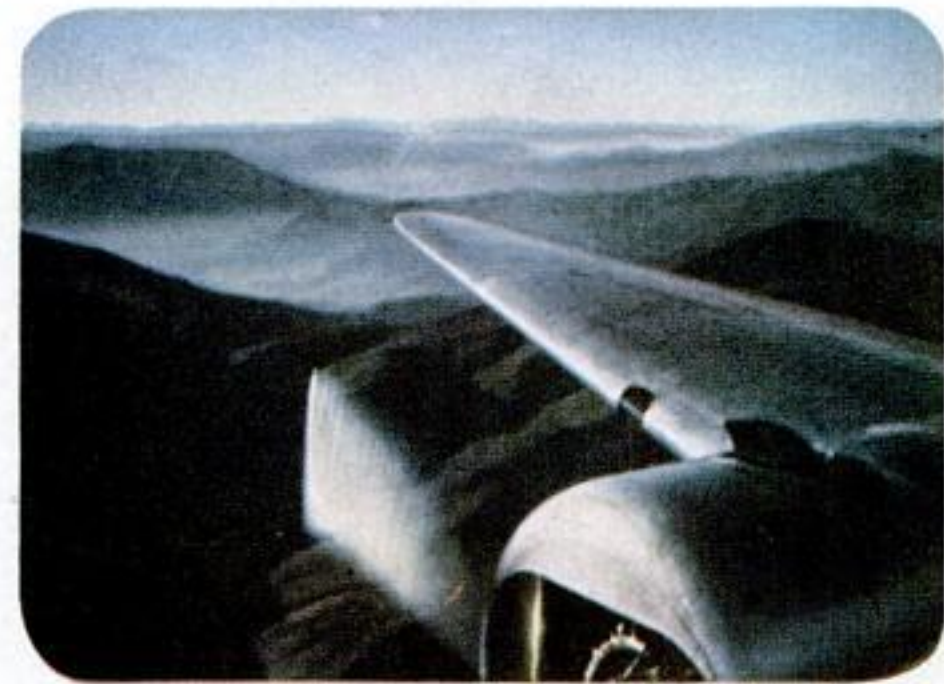
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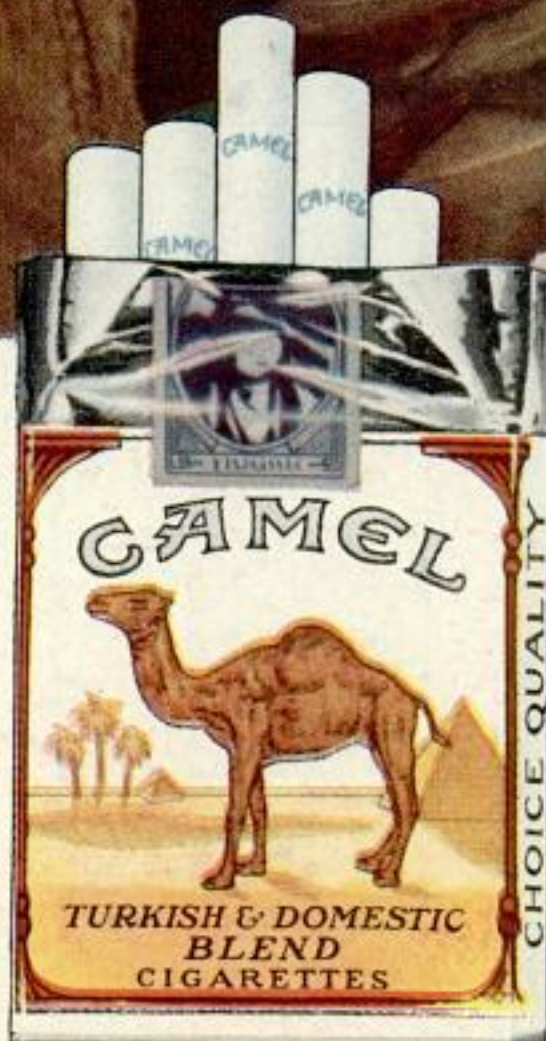
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